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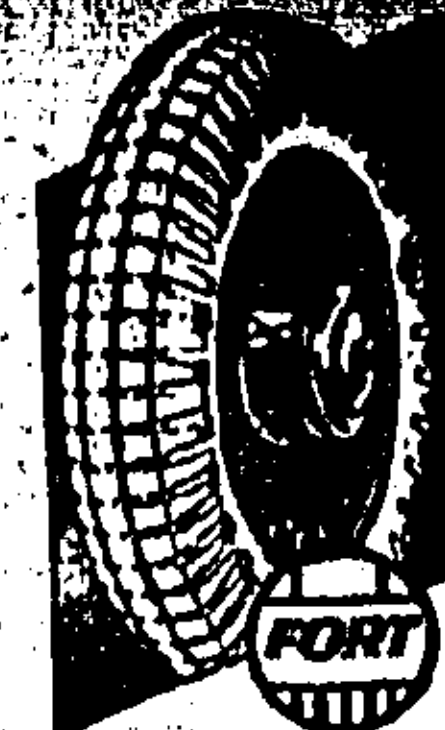
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## MIRACLE NEEDED TO SAVE PRESIDENT HOOVER

Roosevelt Leading in Twenty-Five States

### NEW YORK STATE WON OVER

REPUBLICAN MANAGER ADMITS LOSS

### HOOVER'S FAILURE

NEW YORK, NOV. 8. PENDING THE RESULTS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST AND WEST, IT IS TOO EARLY TO SAY THAT MR. FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT, THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE, AS BEEN ELECTED AS THE NEXT PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, BUT IT WILL BE NOTHING SHORT OF A MIRACLE IF PRESIDENT HOOVER SURVIVES.

New York, with forty-seven electoral college votes, has already gone over to the Democrats. Mr. Roosevelt now has a strong lead in twenty-five States, commanding 284 electoral college votes, which would be quite sufficient for election.

President Hoover is leading in only seven States, which carry 88 electoral college votes.

Mr. Roosevelt is triumphing in the traditionally Democratic South, where President Hoover is being literally snowed under.

### THE POSITION HOUR BY HOUR

NEW YORK, NOV. 8. Unofficial and fragmentary returns show that Mr. Franklin Roosevelt is leading in seven States having ninety-three electoral votes, while President Hoover is leading in three States having twenty electoral votes.

The candidates are running neck and neck in Massachusetts which has 17 votes and Pennsylvania which has 36.

**ROOSEVELT WELL OFF MARK**  
6.30 p.m.  
Mr. Roosevelt is leading in Alabama (11 electoral votes), Florida (7), Georgia (12), Oklahoma (11), Texas (23), Missouri (15), Maryland (8), Tennessee (11), Nebraska (7), and South Carolina (8).

The candidates are running neck and neck, with no clear indication whatsoever, in Kansas (9 electoral votes), Massachusetts (17 votes), Pennsylvania (36) and Colorado (6).

President Hoover is leading in New Hampshire (4 electoral votes) and Rhode Island (4).

**BIG LEAD.**  
In the States hitherto for Roosevelt, the electoral votes total 113. In those for Hoover, there are only eight votes. And in those in which the candidates are running neck and neck account for 68 electoral college votes.

7 a.m.  
Mr. Roosevelt is now leading also in Virginia with 11 electoral college votes. In Arkansas (9 votes) and is slightly leading in Massachusetts and Kansas, where he is now beginning to draw away slightly from Mr. Hoover.

**NEW YORK NOW.**  
He is also leading by a wide margin in New York State which carries 47 electoral college votes, thanks to the heavy Democratic majorities in New York City.

President Hoover leads in Vermont, with 3 electoral college votes, South Dakota, with 4, Connecticut with 4, and Rhode Island with 4. The gross total of the electoral votes in the States in which President Hoover leads is only 23.

7.30 p.m.  
Mr. Roosevelt appears almost certain to carry the most important key State, New York. He has been running neck and neck with President Hoover in the country districts and with his huge advantage in New York City has

a lead at present over 400,000 votes, after the counting of a quarter of the votes recorded in the State.

**NEW YORK LEAD.**  
8.30 p.m.  
President Hoover's assistant campaign manager has conceded the loss of New York State with its forty-seven electoral college votes to Mr. Roosevelt.

Roosevelt has already polled two million out of five million possible votes and is now leading by nearly six hundred thousand, a lead which is tending to increase rather than to diminish.

**ONLY MIRACLE CAN SAVE HOOVER.**

8.45 p.m.  
With New York in Roosevelt's favour and a commanding lead in the South, the election seems to have been already decided. It is, of course, too early to say that Mr. Roosevelt has been elected until the results have been received from the Western States, but it would be almost a miracle now if he fails.

Roosevelt is now leading in at least twenty-five States, carrying 284 electoral college votes.—*Reuter.*

### ANGLO-SWEDISH TRADE

### ADVANCE DELEGATES IN LONDON

London, Nov. 8. The Swedish Minister, Baron Palmstierna, to-day introduced to the President of the Board of Trade (Mr. Runciman), Messrs. Sohlman, Sahlin and Allard, members of the Swedish delegation who have arrived in London in advance of the full delegation for preliminary discussions on Anglo-Swedish commercial relations.

A statement has been issued showing that the Swedish and British points of view were exchanged and are being examined.—*British Wireless.*

A mongrel owned by Bandsman Croft, of the South Wales Borderers, yesterday attacked and bit the bandsman's little daughter Joan, who subsequently went to the Military Hospital for treatment.



President and Mrs. Hoover pleased at their reception in California.

### THE ANTI-IRISH TARIFF WAR

MR. THOMAS EXPLAINS DUTY INCREASE.

London, Nov. 8. The House of Commons to-day approved by 250 votes to 38, the increase in the customs duties on Irish Free State farm produce and livestock.

Mr. J. H. Thomas explained that the increase would be imposed as from to-morrow and was due to the fact that the receipts hitherto had showed conclusively that England was unlikely to collect the amount owing.—*Reuter.*

### BRITAIN'S AIR FUTURE

DISCREET REPLIES TO QUESTIONS

PREMIER AND THE FRENCH PLAN

London, Nov. 8. In the House of Commons to-day, Lord Apsley asked the Prime Minister whether, before any decision was reached regarding the extent to which the British Government could agree with the French disarmament proposals, and particularly those on the international control of civil aviation, he would ensure that such agreement would in no way prevent the future development of British civil aviation, either of a private nature, or on the existing and proposed Empire routes to India, South Africa, Australia and Canada respectively.

The Prime Minister replied that he had not yet received the new French disarmament proposals, but the Government in the United Kingdom would certainly bear in mind the importance of providing fully for the future of British civil aviation and the development of Imperial air communications.

Replying to a supplementary question, regarding private flying, the Premier said he could not enter into details that might arise in the course of the negotiations but the House might take his answer as one that was going to guide the Government in their general policy.

Asked whether the disassociation of civil flying altogether from the armed forces of the Crown was being considered, the Premier said that that was naturally one of the questions that must arise.—*British Wireless.*

### IRISH GOVERNOR GENERAL

APPOINTMENT PART OF TREATY

London, Nov. 8. Questioned in the House of Commons as to the appointment of the Governor General of the Irish Free State, the Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, said whilst he had no statement to make at the moment, the House was aware that provision for the appointment of the Governor General was made in the Anglo-Irish Treaty and was, indeed, an integral part of it.—*British Wireless.*

### LEAPS FOR LIFE

THRILLING FIRE SCENES

NINE INJURED

SERIOUS KOWLOON OUTBREAK

Thrilling scenes were witnessed in the early hours of this morning when a fire broke out in a block of three four-storeyed building situate at 970-974, Canton Road, Kowloon, resulting in injuries to nine inmates in jumping from upper floors into the street below.

Five of the injured people were sent to the Kowloon Hospital, and the others to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

Three are in a serious condition and may not recover. All jumped from the blazing building before the arrival of the Fire Brigade.

The block which was practically gutted, comprised the usual shop and tenement type. A bamboo-ware shop occupied the ground floor of No. 972, and it is believed that the fire, which started in this shop, had its source in a heap of bamboo shavings underneath a staircase connecting two houses. The theory is that these shavings were set alight by a carelessly-thrown cigarette-end.

### BURNT OUT.

The whole fire-fighting resources of the mainland were brought to bear on the fire soon after the alarm was given at two o'clock in the morning. The Brigade concentrated on the task of confining the outbreak to as narrow limits as possible, but the two houses connected by the staircase were almost totally burnt out.

Great excitement prevailed among the inmates of the upper storeys when it became clear that many of them were threatened with being trapped.

### OLD WOMAN RESCUED.

On a third floor house, an old woman had taken refuge in the back kitchen, and for a time her plight was extremely serious. However, the Brigade managed to raise an escape ladder in a wide lane at the back, and by means of this they were able eventually to bring her to safety.

It was fully two hours before the Brigade, faced with a most difficult task, succeeded in subduing the flames. Investigations later made showed that ten people had been injured, but there may be other casualties as well. A search was still being carried out in the debris for possible victims this morning.

### QUEEN ELIZABETH RETURNS

### WARSHIP HOME FROM MEDITERRANEAN

London, Nov. 8. The battleship Queen Elizabeth reached Plymouth to-day after two and a half years' commission in the Mediterranean, during which she has steamed over 30,000 miles.

She was flying the flag of Admiral Sir Ernle Chatfield, who will succeed Admiral Sir Frederick Field at the Admiralty as First Sea Lord.—*British Wireless.*

### DOCK EXTENSION

### BIG PROJECT AT SOUTHAMPTON

London, Nov. 8. The Duke and Duchess of York, who visited Southampton to-day to open new civil buildings, also made an extensive tour of the docks, extension and the new graving dock which form a development scheme costing over £10,000,000.—*British Wireless.*

## CHANCELLOR AND BIMETALLISM

STRONG OPPOSITION IN LONG REVIEW

London, Nov. 8. REFUSAL TO GIVE ANY ENCOURAGEMENT to advocates of bimetalism was the keynote of a noteworthy statement by Mr. Neville Chamberlain at the close of the three-day non-party Commons debate on unemployment.

The House adopted, without a division, the Labour motion expressing Parliament's concern at the present



Sir Robert Horne.



Mr. Chamberlain.

volume of unemployment and welcoming all measures to deal with it.

Mr. Chamberlain ventured a long review of monetary factors in rebutting the arguments in favour of bimetalism, stressing that supplies of silver are inadequate and that the central banks would certainly not agree to accept a certain proportion of silver at a fixed ratio to gold.

### UNEMPLOYMENT DEBATE CLOSES

Mr. Neville Chamberlain's review of the monetary situation was made in reply to a speech by Sir Robert Horne, the noted banker advocate of bimetalism.

Sir Robert Horne suggested that wholesale commodity prices might be affected, for their improvement, by restricting the supplies of commodities or by an alteration in the amount of monetary gold available as being the standard by which their value was measured.

Sir Robert suggested that as there was a deficiency of gold, due to much being sterilised in reserves in particular countries, we should supplement the supply of gold by bringing silver into account.

He added that a rise in the price of silver would very much improve our trade with India and China.

### STERLING'S VALUE.

Sir Robert Horne who was at one time a Conservative Chancellor of the Exchequer, observed that a great service would be rendered to the trade, industry, and commerce of the world if international exchanges were put right. While there was a vast amount of gold in the world, nearly three-quarters of it was in the hands of two countries and others were denied of the necessary supply. The problem was certainly one of the great factors of the present situation.

Referring to the position of the pound, he pointed out that sterling prices to-day were practically at the same level as when Britain went off the gold standard and that the pound now purchased more in commodities than five years ago. This was sufficient evidence that no one need be perturbed about the fall in sterling.

He expressed the view that if silver were once more put in an appropriate position in relation to the monetary system of the world, industry and trade would benefit

### CUNARD LINERS.

One measure of relief he advocated was State assistance to enable the Cunard Company to proceed with the projected construction of its two giant liners. He believed that this could be done by means of a loan or guarantees without any cost to the State. He was certain legitimate ways in which the credit of the country could be used to help industry might be discovered if an expert committee were set up for this purpose.

Sir Robert Horne also suggested that the embargo on new capital issues be removed as early as possible.

### LIBERAL VIEW.

Sir Herbert Samuel expressed the hope that the opportunity would be taken at the World Economic Conference to achieve definite results on tariff and other restrictions, monetary questions and other matters of world-wide importance. Only by such means could they secure an early return to prosperity and end unemployment.

If the Disarmament Conference could simultaneously be brought to a successful conclusion, it would go far to encourage the whole world towards better economic conditions.

After many other members had spoken, the Chancellor of Exchequer, concluded the debate which he said had been most productive of ideas. While he could not agree with the desirability of many of the proposals made, there were others which would receive the careful consideration of the Government.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, making the final speech in the debate on unemployment, confined himself almost entirely to the proposals of Sir Robert Horne.

He saw difficulties, he said. (Continued on Page 7.)

### VON PAPEN TO STAY

DETERMINED TO CARRY ON

DELIVERS A NEW ULTIMATUM

(Our Own Correspondent).

Berlin, Nov. 8. Herr von Papen to-day made his first public pronouncement since the election, this being at a luncheon given to foreign journalists.

He said the objects of the Government, as recently explained, would be carried through without change.

Economic and political order cannot prevail in Europe, von Papen said, until the German people were guaranteed peaceful and secure development.

The Chancellor appealed to other nations to help, because neither by trickery nor by threat would Germany consider herself bound for ever by the stipulations forced on her by her victors.

### DE VALERA'S CHALLENGE

### WARNING TO I.R.A. SENSATION

Dublin, Nov. 9. A sensation has been caused in political circles by a speech by Mr. de Valera at the Fianna Fail Convention where he warned the Irish Republican Army and other organisations that anyone found in the possession of arms would be proceeded against with the full vigour of the law.

This is regarded as a direct challenge to the Irish Republican Army.—*Reuter.*

### DEATH OF MR. W. L. PATTENDEN

### PASSES AWAY IN ENGLAND

As we go to press, news reaches us of the death in England of Mr. W. L. Pattenden, former General Manager of Messrs. W. R. Loxley and Co., who left the Colony on retirement in March, 1930, after residence of over thirty years.

On going home, he settled down at Godalming, and it is presumed that he passed away there, although no details beyond a brief cable message have so far been received.

The P. and O. s.s. Bangalore, from Shanghai, is due here at 8 a.m. on Friday.

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone is centred over South Japan, and has weakened. The typhoon is situated about 500 miles E.S.E. of Manila, moving N.W. Local forecast: N.E. winds, moderate rain.



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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

As soon as the opening lead is made, a good declarer will count up his sure tricks and will then consider the best means of establishing the number of probable or doubtful tricks required to make his contract.

Sometimes it is necessary to sacrifice a sure trick to assist in the development of the hand. This play is quite similar to the gambit in chess, where a pawn or piece is sacrificed to obtain advantages of position.

In the following hand, the declarer conceded a diamond trick to the opponents unnecessarily but they were obliged to pay dearly for it in the end.

♠6-5	♥6-5-3-2	♦A-Q-9-8	♣7-3-2
♠A-Q	♥10-9-7	♦K-7	♣10-5
♠K-7	♥10-5	♦3-2	♣A-10
♠K-J-4	♥A-Q-4	♦K-J	♣A-Q-J-8-4
♠K-9-6	♥J-10	♦7-6-4	♣K-9-6

The Bidding.

South opened with one no trump. Most good players now prefer that declaration even when holding a good five-card minor suit, providing the hand is well above average strength and has all four suits stopped.

West was warned by the original no trump, which he knew to be strong, and therefore passed. North bid two no trumps, avoiding a bid of two diamonds, for that would indicate definite weakness and would show no desire to play for game. South closed the bidding with three no trump.

The Play.  
West's correct opening lead was the ten of spades, which declarer won in his own hand with the jack. He could now count, with reasonable certainty, three diamond tricks, four club tricks, one spade and at least one heart, providing East was never in the lead.

However, if that player were ever in, he would surely lead a spade through South's king, and the contract would be defeated. The declarer's first object must be to establish the club suit, and if East should hold the king (twice guarded, two finessees would be necessary. Accordingly the jack of diamonds was led and overtaken by the queen in dummy.

A small club was returned and the finesse taken. This could be done with safety, for even though West held the king of clubs, a spade lead from that side could do little damage.

When the finesse held, South led the king of diamonds, again overtaking in dummy, and by taking a second finesse, ran off his four remaining clubs. West was obliged to discard two spades and a diamond.

South's next lead was the king of spades, which West won with the ace and cashed the queen of that suit.

After laying down the ten of diamonds, which had been so graciously established for him, he was obliged to lead into South's heart tenace, and the declarer made four no trump.

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### ELECTION EVE

ALL AMERICA AWAITS  
RESULTS

New York, Nov. 8.  
All America will stay up until dawn to-morrow to await the result of the elections. The usual 3 a.m. curfew will not be rung in dance halls and cabarets, as the hour has been extended to 6 a.m.

A survey of the foreign language periodicals throughout the United States reveals that the sympathies of the major foreign elements are equally divided but of the smaller communities, the Czechoslovakia favour Roosevelt, and the Swedes, Norwegians and Finns are followers of Mr. Hoover.

An immediate audience of miners and shepherds heard Mr. Hoover's final broadcast appeal from Elko, Nevada, following the broadcast from Mr. Calvin Coolidge, former President, who declared that if five Americans were selected to devise remedies for the present conditions, Mr. Hoover would head the list, and that if 10 international figures were chosen for the same reason, Mr. Hoover would be among them.

Mr. Roosevelt made his election-eve speech at the Knights of Columbus Hall, New York, where he has spoken on election eve for many years. He promised the electors that if successful he would "with humility seek to mend the fabric of our common life."

When the polls opened this morning, good election weather was reported in most districts, conditions being cloudy in the east and with sunshine in a great part of the west, there was nothing to prevent the farmers from going to the polls. —*Reuter.*

### Cannot Vote.

New York, Nov. 8.  
Mr. Norman Thomas, the Socialist candidate for the presidency, has been so busy electioneering that he forgot to register and consequently he will be unable to vote. —*Reuter.*

**VON PAPEN SATISFIED.**  
WILLING TO WELCOME PARTY  
CO-OPERATION

London, Nov. 8.  
The Von Papen Government is "perfectly satisfied" with the outcome of the elections and announces that there is no need for deviation from its present policy, according to a Berlin message.

It is ready to welcome with open arms any party who will co-operate with it.

Probably the new Reichstag will be summoned on December 6. The intervening time will be spent in negotiations between the various parties.

The next few weeks are likely to be quiet, as a political truce has been called. All political meetings and demonstrations have been prohibited. —*Our Own Correspondent.*

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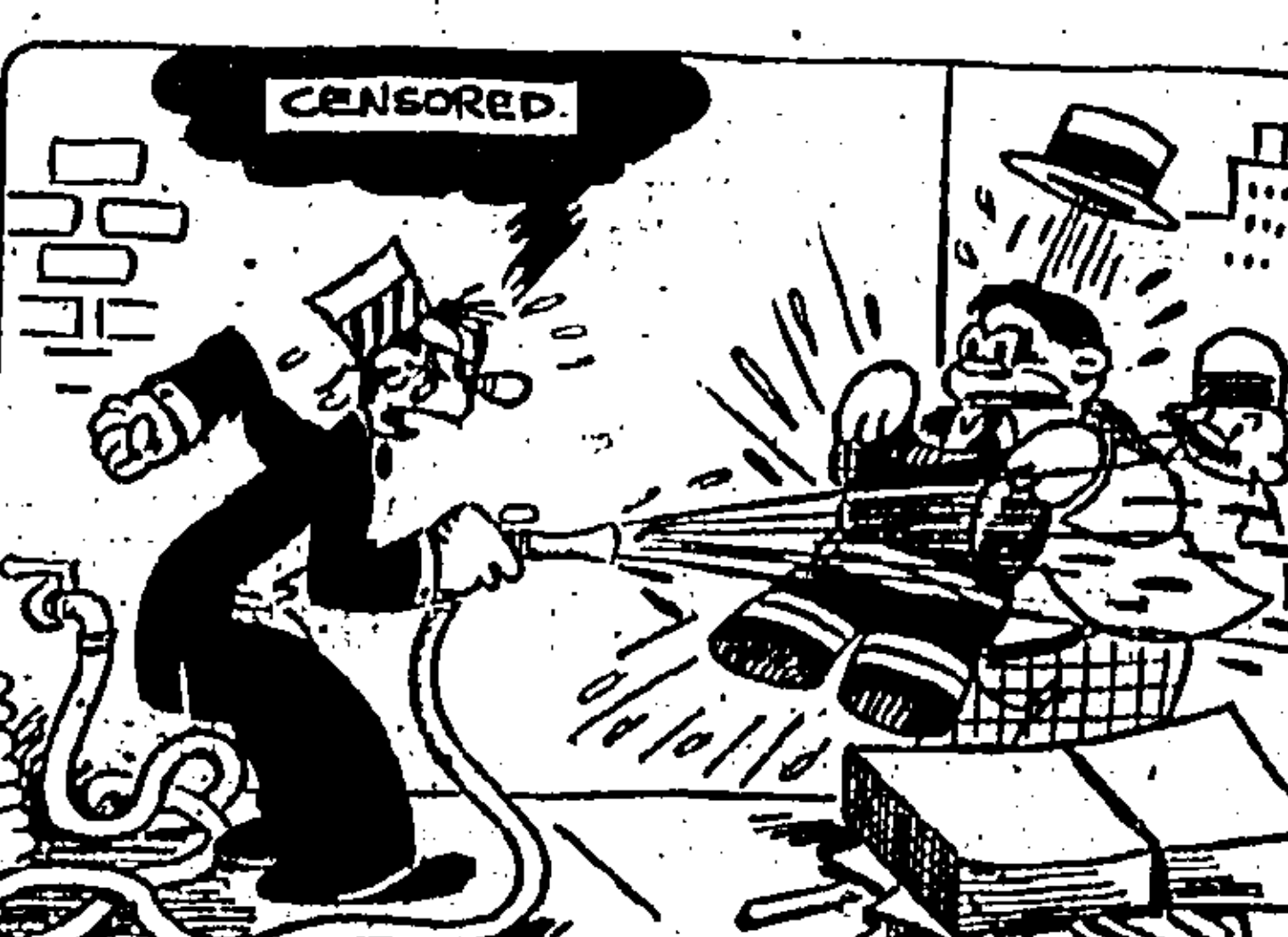
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## CHAPTER XVII

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The black mare nickered softly as Stan approached. He

turn and run to his mount was  
saw a slender figure pass A  
Delo's lighted window. The

the scene at the corrals w

(To be continued).

Nanking, Nov. 8.

The Executive Yuan has decided to turn the China Merchants S.N. Co. into a State enterprise, to be operated by a mercantile group on behalf of the Government. Detailed measures have not yet been disclosed.—*Reuter.*

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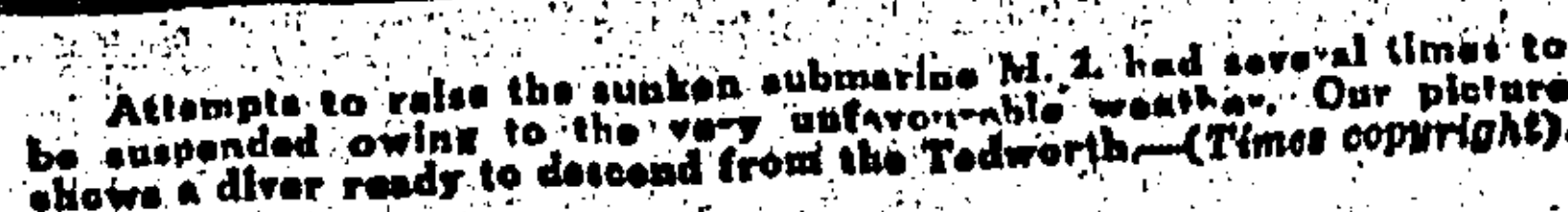
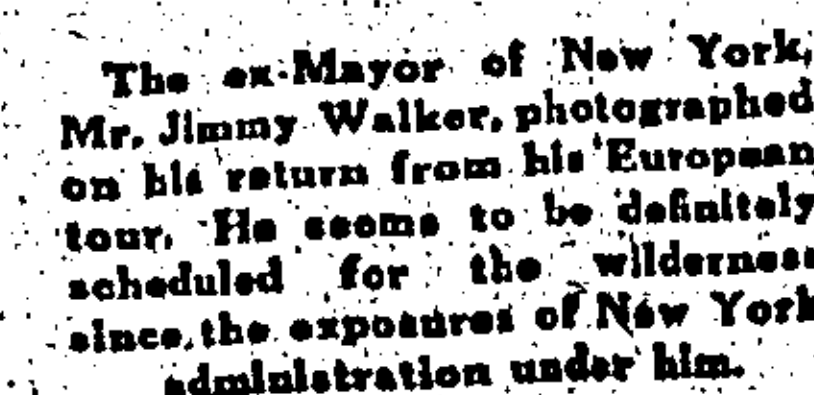
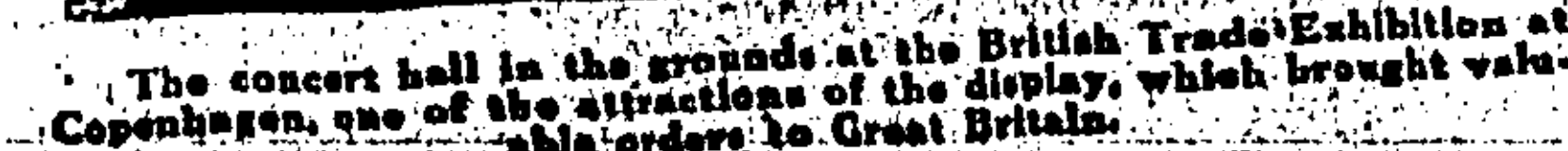
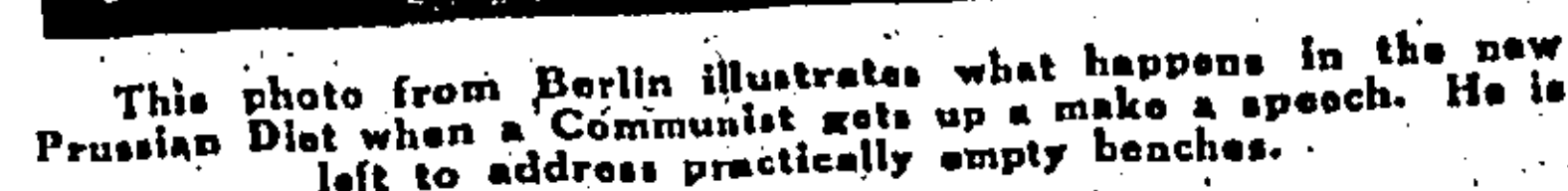
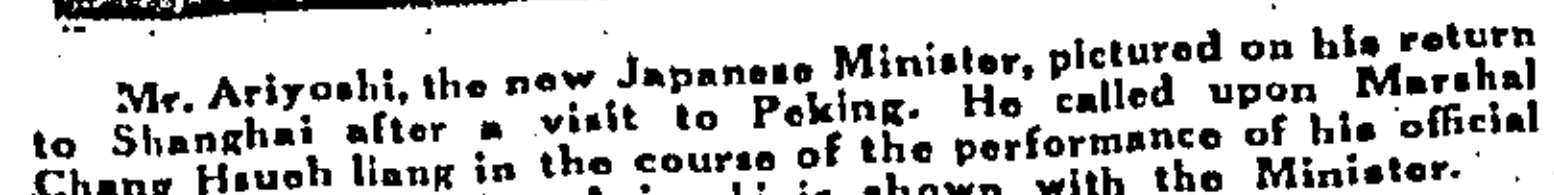
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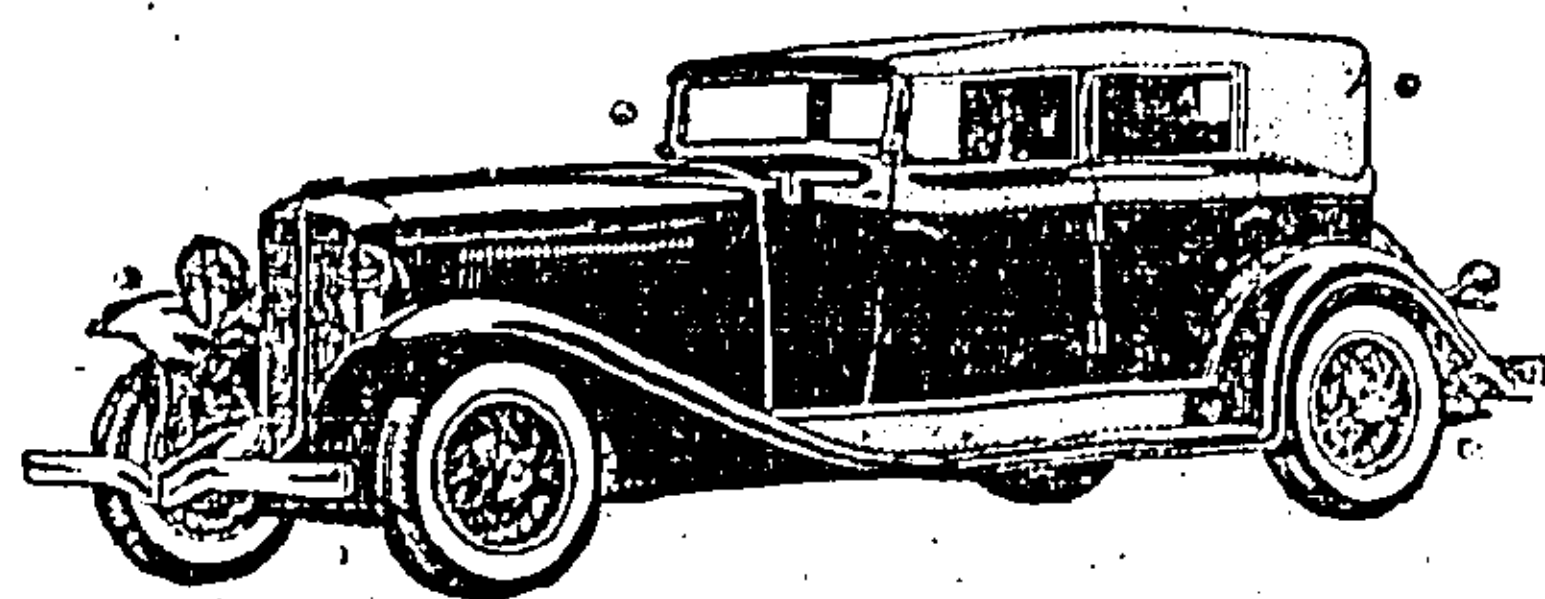
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## THE WORLD OF WOMEN



### COMING FASHIONS.

#### What are We Going to Wear?

So far there do not appear to be many drastic changes. Where new ideas are introduced they are attractive and becoming.

One revolution has taken place. V-necked jumpers and jerseys have been swept from favour by the arrival of the new models with round necks finished with a close-knit collar just circling the base of the throat. They are vastly becoming to most people.

The popularity of chromium steel is waning slightly, although for the early autumn it still appears to brighten and decorate dark materials. Brass and copper buttons are used extensively, however.

The cycle of fashion has passed through the Victorian era and landed us in Edwardian days—but only the more attractive features are revived.

Velour hats, for one thing, are ousting the plain felts of the immediate past—although for hard country wear the felt will always be correct. The new velours are featherweight and have the sheen of better plush.

#### Velvet and Fur

English velvets have come into their own, and velvet hats and cravat scarves, as well as frocks, are already to be seen.

Jaunty little capes that have been so praised this summer, and have been allied with the smartest frocks, in addition to the most practical of beach suits, will continue to be worn.

They will then appear as accessories to evening gowns—and here again velvet will be used. Its charm for evening wear lies in the



Draped shoulders and a high neck lend a demure touch to this evening gown which is fashioned from a new bubble satin with crepe back. Wide bands of fur widen the shoulders, the skirt moulds the hips and flairs as it grows longer.

### OLD MAHOGANY.

Sometimes one comes across a piece of old mahogany which, but for its thick coat of dirt, would look very well in a proper setting.

It is possible to remove the dirt without impairing the appearance of the piece by the following method:

Brush over the surface with cold drawn linseed oil and leave to soak for an hour or two. Then tie some powdered bathbrick loosely in a piece of muslin and shake over the oiled surface. Next rub the surface in the direction of the grain with a piece of soft carpet—not flannel—until clean. When quite clean shake some bran over it and polish with a piece of flannel.

warmth of the fabric and in the exquisite colour. The sheen of fine quality velvet under artificial light can be a melody of tones.

Velvet coats, capes, and contees for evening wear will, in many instances, be lavishly trimmed with fur.

Checked tweeds, homespuns, and suitings are used for coats-and-skirts, and plain rough materials—especially friezes—for top coats.

Fur is to be seen on the new suits for town wear. In many instances it forms a tailored collar and revers. The various flat furs are used for these trimmings.

Blue fox furs are the most lovely of all for wear with untrimmed coats and dresses, but silver fox retains its popularity and there is a good deal of red fox to be seen.

Patriotic colours—red, white and blue used together—appear as scarves. These colours were used to some extent during the summer and will be worn again with the heavier materials in navy blue during the autumn.

The general trend of the new fashions indicates that the designers have in mind the needs of the varying types of women, and as a result there is a fairly wide diversity of styles. It is likely to be a "kind" autumn where fashion is concerned.—By "VENETIA"



Grey fox tones the colour of this grey afternoon ensemble. The new collar makes an effective band around the coat which assumes an intriguing new length.

### SLIM EFFECTS.

#### The Vogue of Metal Trimmings.

At the autumn collections it was noticed that the padded shoulders in coats and suits are very successful. The shoulder is handled exactly as it used to be handled in a man's coat. This, the dressmakers contend, makes the hips and waist look slimmer because the shoulders are built up. Also to be noted are the charming blouses, softly draped or tied, and of a very wide width of crepe de Chine ribbon which may be dyed any colour. And a practical fashion is that of cutting away the material in the front of a wrap-over skirt, and replacing it with crepe de Chine, so that one may have only one thickness of the woollen fabric instead of two, thus making for slimmness.

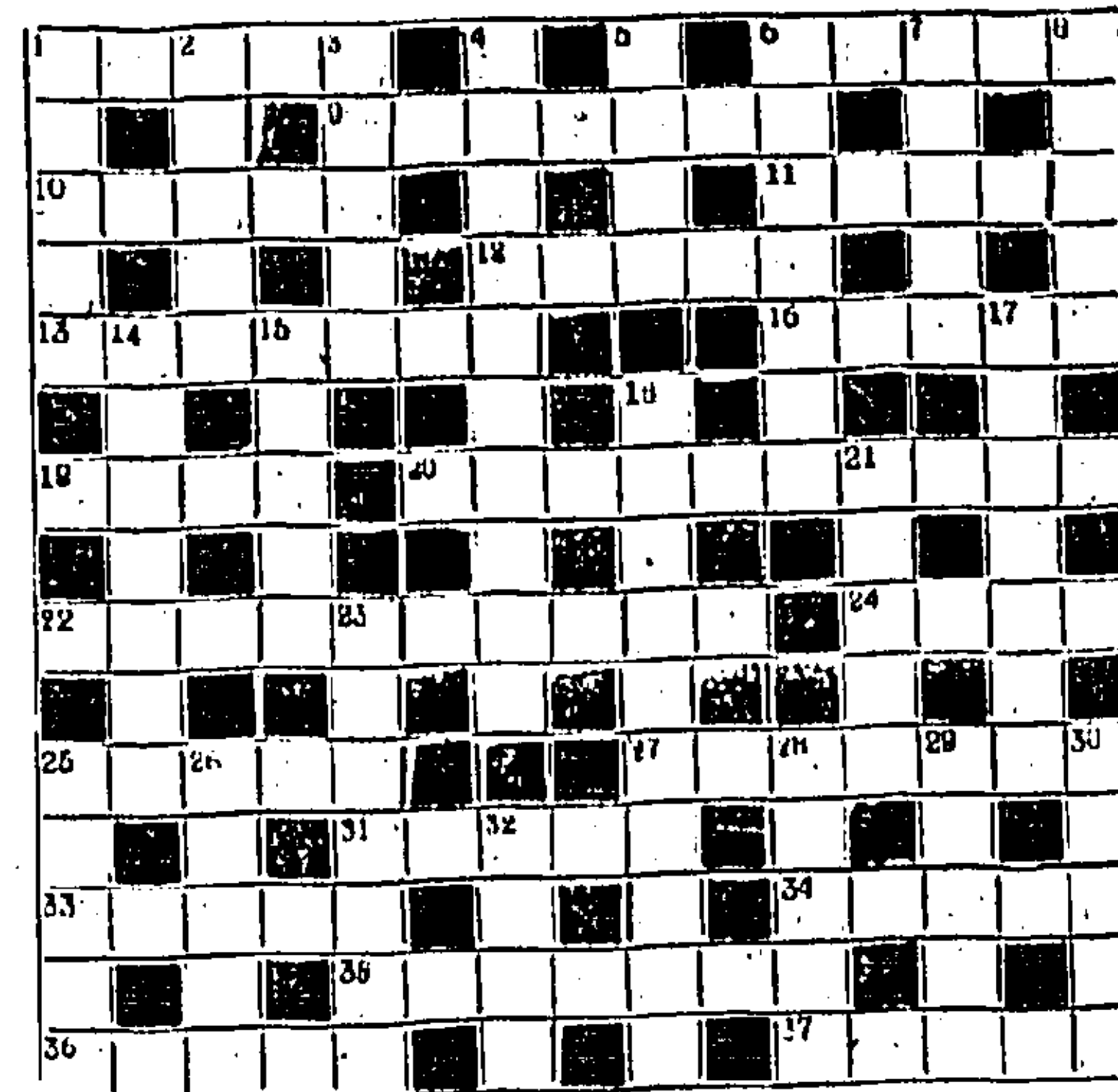
As for walking skirts, they are worn to somewhere between knees and ankles, though for afternoon wear they are a bit longer, many reaching nearly to the ankles, only of course, when meant for indoors. When obliged to go out in such clothes, no one attempts to walk or board a taxi. Unless an automobile waits at one's door, one changes into more practical garments.

Metal trimmings, as you know, are at the height of their popularity. Metal buttons are used to fasten dresses. There are "sets" comprising a necklace of big metal links and a similar chain to fasten the sash. Some of the clasps are made like miniature motor car bumpers, and the same idea appears on the clasps of handbags.



Patou features a long coat which uses a discreet fur trimming for the collar and the smaller cuffs in this conservative afternoon ensemble of medieval brown and tea-rose.

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#### Across

- 1 Suburban train.
- 6 Such garments may well be sober.
- 9 Forest wear before the fall.
- 10 This man's chin is not likely to be overlooked.
- 11 Though good for the health it adds nothing to the belt.
- 12 Of course you'll tear back when you see this animal.
- 13 A day of rest.
- 16 To be in these military stores is far from cheery.
- 19 Incidental to episodes of any sort.
- 20 Take a good pull, though I'm afraid you'll still find it dismal.
- 22 It's quite disturbing, and might describe the bankrupt with no assets.
- 24 Look for it.
- 26 Looking back we can see that who was not well.
- 27 Made by hatters.
- 31 Biblical mountain.
- 33 Sh! by the back part of the liner—that's where it comes out to do its work.
- 34 Change it later maybe.
- 35 Goes beyond.
- 36 Unpleasant old thing that may become a stray.
- 37 Just wait a bit for it.

#### Down

- 1 The modern young woman has no use for these—except, of course, in conjunction with latekeys.
- 2 Mount.
- 3 It's all up with the animal when the water comes down.
- 4 Yours comes first in many a business communication.
- 5 A home from home.
- 6 One would scarcely do so unless the first transaction had

#### been satisfactory.

- 7 Where this grows there should be a clean sweep of moor, one might imagine.
- 8 This indicates she was made by another letter.
- 14 Moderately slow for a musician.
- 16 To beat with a stick will certainly give the poor beast a turn, but be—
- 17 careful.
- 18 They'll click at Olympia, all right.
- 21 Pass out, children.
- 23 A muffin, for example, to a flower.
- 25 Used for reading or writing at the British Museum.
- 28 The smallest amount all serve here.
- 29 Cook.
- 30 In imitation of.
- 32 Try as an anagram of 30.
- 32 Pleasant Continental resort.

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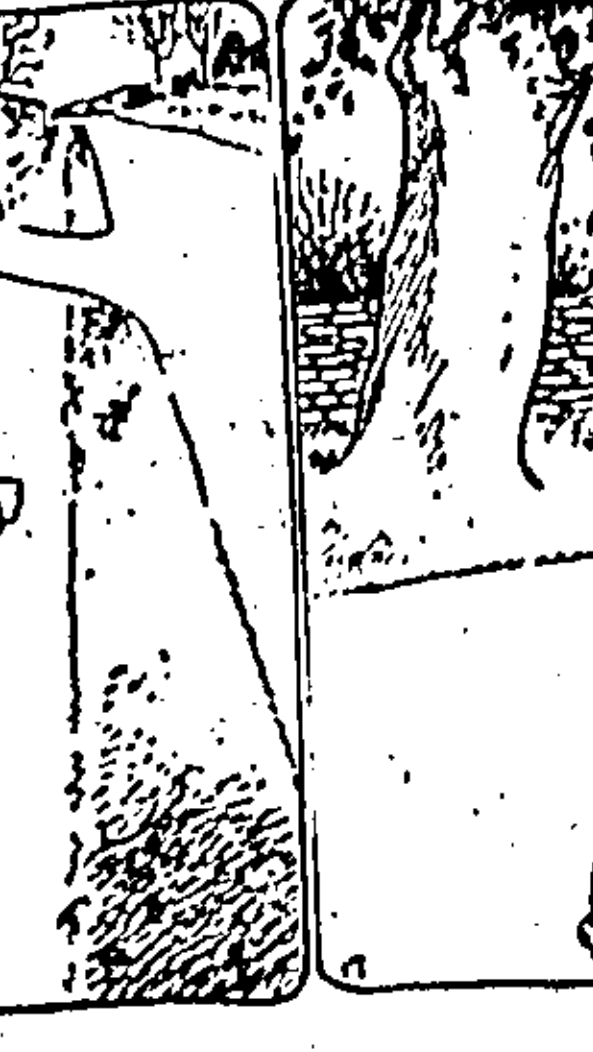
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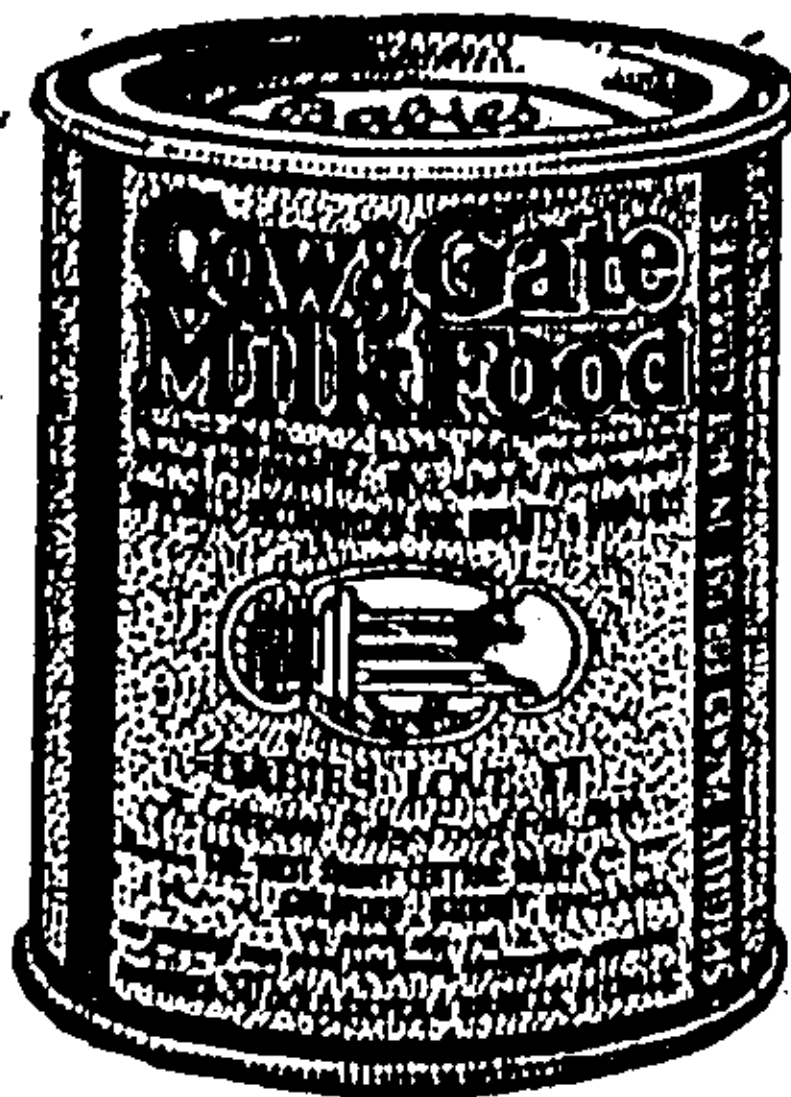
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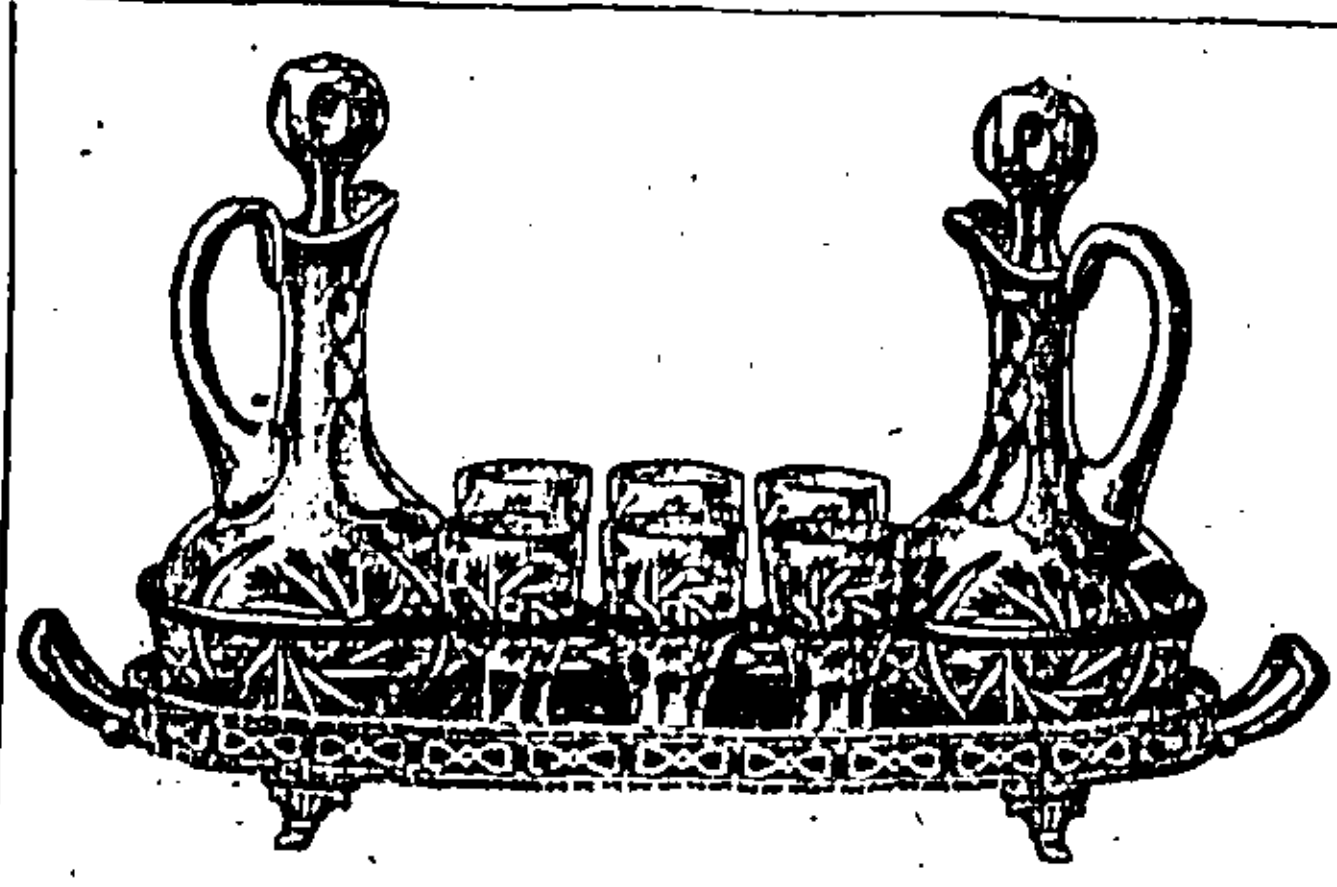
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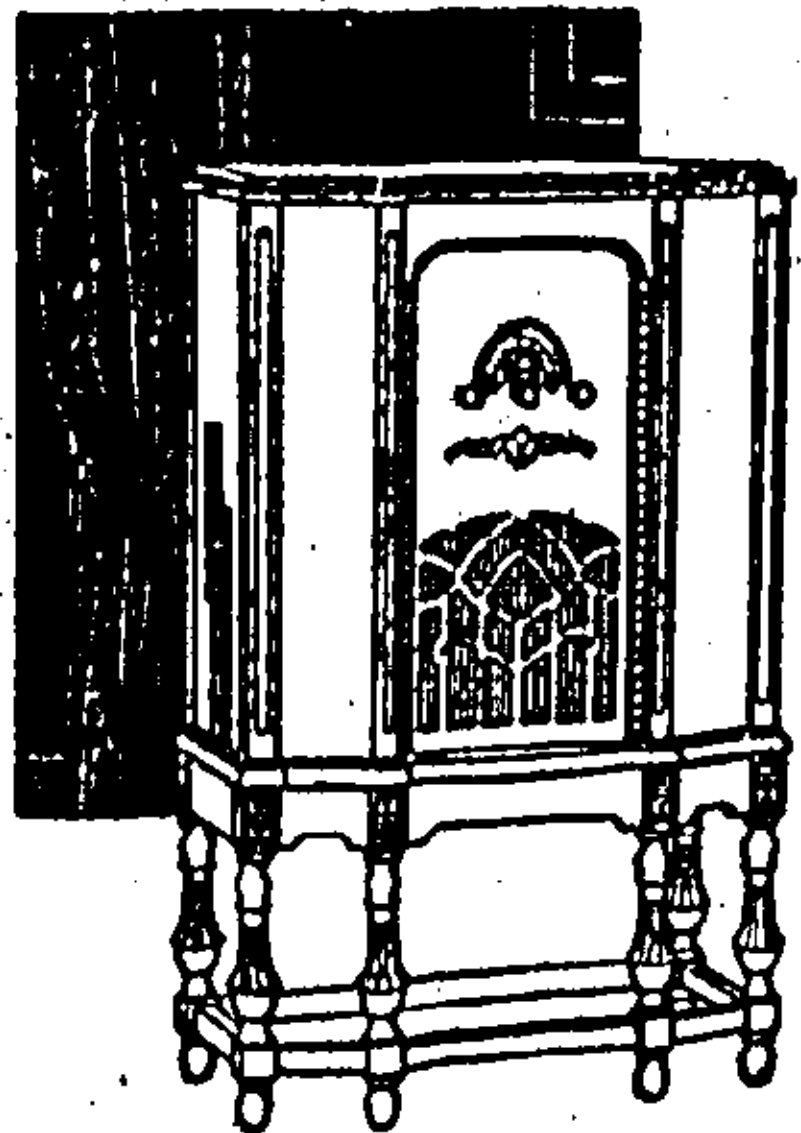
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GARAGE.

**DEATHS.****ROZARIO.**—On Wednesday, (Nov.  
9th 1932) at 12.30 a.m. Lionel,  
dearly beloved son of Mr. and  
Mrs. P. T. Rozario. Funeral  
service at R. C. Cemetery 5.30  
p.m. to-day. Tents and Shang-  
hai papers please copy.**VEIRA-RIBEIRO.**—On November 9,  
1932, at the French Convent  
Hospital, Gustavo Augusto Vieira-  
Ribeiro, the dearly beloved son  
of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Vieira-  
Ribeiro, aged 20 years. Funeral  
will pass the Monument at 5.30  
p.m. to-day. (Macau, Shanghai,  
Manila and Japan papers please  
copy).**Mr. M. J. van Schreven.**  
future address:—  
Royal Netherland Legation,  
Bangkok.  
Hongkong, 31st October, 1932.  
p.p.c.**The  
Hongkong Telegraph.**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1932.

**RADIO PIRATES**The wireless pirate—the man  
who is quite prepared to steal his  
entertainment from the air with-  
out payment of any kind, if he can  
but get away with it—is known  
wherever radio programmes are  
broadcast. We have him here in  
Hongkong, and, most likely, in  
considerable numbers. Not only is  
he enjoying an unfair advantage  
over those who pay their dues, but  
he is a factor in preventing the  
development of the service, since  
the Government grant to the  
Broadcasting Committee in Hong-  
kong is based on the number of  
licences issued. At home, the Post  
Office is making the biggest raid  
on wireless pirates since broad-  
casting began. Last year, the  
efforts were concentrated mainly  
on London, but the new campaign  
now instituted covers the whole  
country. Once again, the ghost  
car and a fleet of detector vans,  
specially augmented for the occa-  
sion, is to prowling the streets search-  
ing for unlicensed sets. In addi-  
tion, the work of the cars is being  
supplemented by a large staff of  
investigators on foot, these beingprovided in advance with the  
names and addresses of persons  
suspected of being pirates.Some idea of the extent of the  
"piracy" evil may be gained from  
the fact that it is officially com-  
puted that 25 per cent. of the  
owners of wireless sets in England  
do not possess wireless licences.  
Last year the Post Office engaged  
in an intensive raid on wireless  
pirates in London. Even those  
officials who thought the position  
was bad never imagined that they  
would unearth something like  
260,000 who had wireless stations  
without licences. The authorities  
have been making experiments  
during the year at various con-  
tours, and as a result the shock has  
increased rather than lessened.  
This question of bilking the re-  
venue has given the authorities  
considerable thought. The posi-  
tion is not at all satisfactory when  
out of approximately nine million  
homes it is found that only about  
four millions and three-quarters  
have wireless licences. "It does not  
give us any delight to prosecute,"  
said an official recently, "but we  
feel a certain duty to the public for  
the money which we get as our  
share of the 10s. The Post Office  
gets 1s. from every wireless licence  
irrespective of the number, and out  
of that we have to arrange for the  
issuing of licences and pay for the  
work carried out by the detector  
van in detecting interferences with  
broadcast signals. Last year we  
investigated 50,000 cases of  
oscillation interference, and 10,000  
cases of electrical interference. It is  
not fair that we should have to do  
all that for the benefit of the wire-  
less pirate as well as the licence  
holder."It is interesting to note that  
great progress has now been made  
in the design of the detector vans,  
and the ghost car has been per-  
fected. It is no exaggeration to  
say that the ghost car can detect  
the presence of a station while  
travelling at 70 miles per hour. The  
car is quite indistinguishable from  
an ordinary private car, and as  
some of the vans no longer have  
outside aerials they also are very  
difficult to pick out. In view of  
what is being done at home, the  
time must assuredly come when  
this question of "piracy" will have  
to be taken up in Hongkong. It is  
only right that those who enjoy  
the local programmes—which, in-  
cidentally, are getting better all  
the time—should contribute their  
share towards the cost of the ser-  
vice. The unlicensed motorist is  
soon brought to book; the wireless  
pirate should likewise be compelled  
to obey the law.**Germany at the Crossroads.**The current of political and  
popular thought since the war has  
flown strongly in democratic  
channels. In Spain a dictator-  
ship was imposed, but it was  
swept away, and the monarchy  
with it, by irresistible public sen-  
timent. In Italy, Fascism is  
theoretically opposed to democra-  
tic institutions; but there is no  
doubt that in practice Signor  
Mussolini enjoys the confidence  
and the esteem of the majority of  
Italians. There are those who  
now discern the signs of reaction  
in Europe. It is suggested that  
there may be the preliminaries of  
a restoration in Germany. Already  
something like a military dicta-  
torship has been established; and  
the strength of the movement,  
which is essentially antiparlia-  
mentary is unquestionable. It is  
being said that the Crown Prince,  
whether as President or as Re-  
gent, will sooner or later govern  
Germany in the stead of Marshal  
Hindenburg. These predictions  
may be premature or they may be  
false. But certainly considerable  
sections of the German people are  
disposed to challenge the Consti-  
tution of Weimar. The conditions  
in which the Republic was found-  
ed and has lived could hardly have  
been more unfavourable. It was  
born in the trenches and was the  
child of defeat. Despite the slight  
and the repudiation of the Kaiser,  
the Versailles Treaty was fash-  
ioned like a millstone around the  
neck of the German people. The**DAY BY DAY**THE LESS MEN AND WOMEN KNOW  
OF ONE ANOTHER, THE HAPPIER  
THEY ARE.—George Meredith.It is advertised that the Exchange  
Banks will be closed to the transaction  
of public business on Friday, Novem-  
ber 11, being Armistice Day.K.F. Pank—It is not the custom  
of reputable newspapers to give de-  
tailed reports of such unsavoury  
cases.Karim Singh, a Sikh watchman,  
was yesterday assaulted and severely  
injured by two Chinese. One of the  
assailants was subsequently arrested.At the weekly tiffin of the Rotary  
Club, held in the Hongkong Hotel  
Roof Garden yesterday, Bishop Ro-  
berts of Singapore was the speaker.  
He dealt with the history of his  
Diocese, explaining the difficulties  
encountered in regard to the ex-  
tensive parishes and the variety of  
languages, the toleration of the  
Government for the Church, and the  
effects of the economic depression on  
the land generally. Mr. P. S.  
Cassidy, who presided, welcomed  
Messrs. H. J. P. Anderson (Amoy),  
Chua Kehhai (Hongkong), C. G.  
Black (Hongkong), D. W. Brisbane  
(Singapore), Basil (Singapore), and  
B. Randamno Vazelle, as well as all  
members returned from home leave.humiliations inflicted on Germany  
for a long period of years have  
been associated with the Republic,  
though in fact they would have  
been inflicted under any other re-  
gime. It is not, therefore, to be  
wondered at that there should be  
discontent. Certainly Germany has  
had no lack of wise statesmen  
who have, with great skill,  
piloted the country to something  
like its rightful place among the  
nations. It has played a leading  
part in all the European discus-  
sions of the last few years. Yet  
there has been delay, and a  
strange inability on the part of  
Germany's neighbours to recognize  
that no nation can be kept per-  
manently down, and some of the  
most important of Germany's  
demands are still resisted. More-  
over, the Constitution of Wei-  
mar itself permits the virtual  
setting aside of parliamentary  
government, and with such  
government becoming almost im-  
possible in the clash of parties,  
recourse has been had to decrees.  
It is not, then, surprising that  
Germany should feel the need not  
only a strong external policy, but  
of internal reforms. The public  
is apt to blame the existing Gov-  
ernment, and even the existing  
regime, for its misfortunes. Seen  
in retrospect, the monarchy ap-  
pears better than the republic.  
There is disorder and clamour and  
commotion; and many Germans  
would welcome the imposition  
of a precise and forcible will.  
But these explanations do not  
justify the abandonment of the  
republican experiment, which has  
not been fairly tested. It is to  
be trusted that better counsels  
will still prevail, and that the  
German democracy will prove it-  
self capable of weathering the  
storms and of reaching a secure  
haven.**HINDENBURG'S  
SECRET**

By Robert Bernays, M.P.

**HINDENBURG** is now over  
eighty-five years of age.  
His life is a bridge not between  
ages but between centuries.  
He was born at Posen in  
1847, when the mighty Napoleon  
and the humiliations of Jena were  
still a personal memory. He took  
part in the battles that humbled  
Austria in 1866; he saw Kaiser  
Wilhelm I. ride in triumph through  
Paris in 1870, and he contributed  
in August, 1914, at least as much  
as Ludendorff to the drowning of  
Tsarist hopes in the terrible  
Masurian lakes.**A Spartan Ruler.**He saw the German Empire  
welded together in 1870 with shot  
and steel and he was Commander-  
in-Chief of the German armies  
when it crashed in irretrievable  
ruin in November, 1918—and he  
remains to-day, fourteen years  
afterwards, not merely the Presi-  
dent of the German Republic, but  
the iron curtain between order and  
civil war.When I was in Berlin recently  
I set myself to find out the secret  
of this amazing record. I was soon  
made to realise that he is no  
figure-head. Far more than is  
usually supposed he was person-  
ally responsible for the establish-  
ment of the Von Papen Govern-  
ment. With the broad political  
developments of modern Germany  
he is in the closest touch. The  
morning of the fateful day when  
the Reichstag was dissolved he  
devoted to a series of interviews  
with his Ministers, and one who  
was with him on that occasion has  
told me that he had clearly grasp-  
ed every implication of the perilous  
situation.That he can do this at eighty-  
five is not a little due to the  
rigorous habits of his life. He is  
always on active service. He has  
no luxuries and no pleasures in  
the ordinary sense of the term.  
He rises early, eats little, takes  
exercise, and is never in bed later  
than 9 p.m.He never visits the theatre. He  
was not even present in 1928 when  
memories of pre-war gaieties were  
revived with a semi-state gala  
performance in the Kaiser's pri-  
vate theatre at Potsdam. An an-  
nual garden party and a dinner  
for the diplomats are the extent of  
his official entertainments. In-  
deed, he is seldom in Berlin, pre-  
ferring whenever possible to  
escape to his country estates.His own personal position means  
absolutely nothing to him. He  
refused to wait up for the results  
of the Presidential Election in the  
spring, or even to be wakened when  
the issue was known. His bed-  
time was nine o'clock. The vot-  
ing figures could wait until the  
morning.He does not worry his head with  
blue books or any more Govern-  
ment papers than are absolutely  
necessary. His guides are his  
principles. They are discipline  
and duty and the Fatherland.Though a Monarchist by deep  
conviction, he does not waver in  
his loyalty to the Republic. He  
has taken the oath, and that is  
enough for him. It is an open  
secret that following on the dis-  
solution of the Reichstag the  
Cabinet had before it plans for a  
radical alteration of the Consti-tution which included the aboli-  
tion of Proportional Representa-  
tion, the re-establishment of an  
effective Second Chamber, and the  
strengthening of the power of the  
President. It was a tamping pro-  
position. The chief obstacle was  
Hindenburg. He had sworn allegi-  
ance to the Weimar Constitution,  
and for better or for worse it  
must be given another trial. If the  
Republic crumbles, it will not be by  
his hand.His hatreds are as simple as his  
loyalties. He dislikes Hitler,  
rather as Gladstone disliked Dis-  
raeli, or as in our own day Mr.  
Baldwin dislikes Lord Rother-  
mere. He can hardly bear to be  
in the same room with him. The  
story is told that when asked his  
opinion of Hitler after his first  
meeting with him, Hindenburg  
replied:"I know the type. They are  
like the Austrian rifles in the  
war; they do not shoot straight."The comment is as revealing of  
the man who made it as of the man  
of whom it was made. Hinden-  
burg always shoots straight.All his life he has viewed the  
world in the simple terms of the  
battlefield.**Two Generals.**In September he gave an au-  
dience in Berlin to General Hig-  
gins, of the Salvation Army.  
Though neither could speak the  
other's language, I am told that  
they were immediately in tune  
with one another. I am not sur-  
prised. The Salvation Army is,  
after all, the religious expression  
of that idea of a powerful self-  
contained State to which Hinden-  
burg and those like him, with no  
thought of self, have given their  
full measure of devotion.So he stands, a pillar of fidelity  
in a reeling world. I heard  
Chancellor von Papen over the  
wireless—on the night that the  
Reichstag fell—define his election  
elegant as: "For Hindenburg and  
Germany." For the moment the  
two are interdependent.He is the main prop of the  
Papen Government. His prestige  
brings to it support from the Cen-  
tre that it would not otherwise  
have. Even at a Nazi meeting I  
attended the howls that greeted  
the names of the members of the  
Cabinet died away when Hinden-  
burg was mentioned.It is the measure of Hinden-  
burg's extraordinary career that  
at eighty-five there is not a re-  
sponsible politician in Germany  
who can think without dismay of  
the problem of his successor.**A CRICKET  
TRAGEDY**

By Edward Kelly, Wicked-Keeper.

We are pleased to hear that Don  
Bradman is going to play in the  
Test Matches after all.Considerable concern, how-  
ever, is now being felt about  
one of the *Hongkong Tele-  
graph's* greatest writers.He refuses to write for the paper  
unless he can play cricket.  
"After all," he said, when inter-  
viewed by one of the lesser jour-  
nalists, "my job, which is playing  
cricket, must have the first con-  
sideration."A clause in the contract with  
this writer-player expressly for-  
bids the playing of cricket in  
working hours, and the man in  
question must have been aware of  
this regulation when he signed up  
with the newspaper. Now he has  
entered into an agreement to re-  
present Hongkong at the forth-  
coming cricket Interport.The Editorial Board will meet  
at the week-end to discuss the  
impasse.**OPINIONS FROM WELL-KNOWN  
MEN:****H. G. WELLS:** It would be an  
awful blow to the literary world if his  
contributions were left out. Surely  
something can be done.**BERNARD SHAW:** It seems un-  
believable, but I am inclined to think  
that some agreement will be reached.**EDITOR OF THE Telegraph:** I  
refuse to make a statement at this  
juncture. The dignity and freedom of  
the press must be upheld.**STELLA BENSON:** I refuse to  
say anything. After all, Edward  
Kelly is just one of those low types  
that has made Hongkong what it is.**THE COLONIAL SECRETARY:**  
No decision has been reached by the  
Government yet. We have more  
pressing matters to attend to, such as  
the Shing Mun scheme and the new  
City Hall.**A. HUXLEY:** Has the Editorial  
Board of the *Hongkong Telegraph*  
stopped and thought how the Strat-  
ford-on-Avon team would have got on  
without Shakespeare?"Gee, that's too bad, Miss Dunn. Maybe I could get  
one of MY boy friends to take you to the party."



## LATEST NAVAL MOVEMENTS

## AMERICAN FLOTILLA LEAVES

Vice-Admiral Bethelot, the Commander-in-Chief of the French Asiatic Fleet, returned from Canton by train on Monday night, and will depart from Hongkong aboard his flagship, the cruiser Primauguet, to-morrow afternoon. A luncheon party, to which H. E. the Officer Administering the Government, the Commodore and his Secretary have been invited is being held on board the Primauguet to-day.

The Commander-in-Chief of the British China Squadron, Admiral Sir Howard Kelly, will arrive in Hongkong on board H.M.S. Kent to-morrow at 7 a.m. Admiral Kelly will remain in Hongkong during the winter season.

The Commander-in-Chief of the American Asiatic Fleet, Admiral M.M. Taylor, will arrive in Hongkong on Saturday next on board his flagship, the U.S.S. Houston, which will escort the yacht Isabel (Lt. Cmdr. Grosskopf) to Hongkong. Commanding the flagship of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet is Captain Daves.

The Fifth Destroyer Flotilla of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet, preceded by the U.S.S. Black Hawk, departed for Manila sharply at 9 o'clock this morning, after a week in Hongkong. The flotilla consisted of the U.S. destroyers Peary, Pillsbury, Pope, Whipple, Smith-Thompson, J.D. Edwards, Barker, Stewart, Parrott, Paul Jones and Edsall.

Remain in port are the U.S.S. Mindango, U.S. gunboat Fulton and the Portuguese cruiser Adamastor.

The gratitude of the American Flotilla for the manner in which they have been entertained in Hongkong during the past week is exemplified in the following message received at Naval Headquarters this morning. It reads: "To all British ships. Best wishes from C.O. and men of Destroyer Squadron 5. Our stay in Hongkong has been most delightful, due to your courtesy and hospitality. Anticipate meeting you again very soon."

## SALT HERRING BOYCOTT

## CANADA ELIMINATES JAPANESE SOURCES

In the course of an interview, Mr. C. A. Calkins, President of the British Columbia Salt Fish Sales Ltd., stated that his company have recently concluded arrangements whereby all dry salt herrings for export from British Columbia to the China market will emanate from strictly non-Japanese sources. This step was made necessary by the severe boycotting to which Canadian dry salt herrings were subjected last season, and taking advantage of the fact that many of the smaller packing plants in British Columbia were in financial difficulties at the close of last year's business, the British Columbia Salt Fish Sales Ltd. was incorporated. The ownership of all the shares in this new company rests in the hands of four prominent Canadian business men at Vancouver, and prospects for this year's business with China in dry salt herrings are encouraging since these herrings are free of any Japanese participation not only from a financial point of view, but also from the point of view of catching, curing and packing the fish.

It is unfortunate that dry salt herring, which is caught only in Canadian waters and is packed and shipped only from British Columbia, should, in the past, have been incorrectly regarded as a Japanese product chiefly because several Japanese companies were formerly engaged in this business and considerable quantities of this commodity were shipped to China in Japanese vessels. The elimination this year, therefore, of all Japanese participation in the dry salt herring business with China will undoubtedly re-establish this wholesome and cheap food-product in this market.

## Industry Reorganized.

Not only has the re-organization of the dry salt herring industry in British Columbia resulted in the assurance that this commodity will not be subjected to further boycott, but the curtailment of all Japanese operations in this trade with China has resulted in the employment in this industry of a large number of Chinese of whom probably 3,000 are engaged as packers.

During the present time of industrial and commercial depression it is a matter of no little importance that so many Canadian-Chinese should be able to secure employment, although it is a natural and gratifying corollary to the recent re-organization of this British Columbia industry that Chinese residents in Canada should participate to such an extent in the preparation of a commodity for consumption by their countrymen in China.

Mr. C. H. Bato was yesterday formally admitted a member of the Sanitary Board, during the absence from the Colony of Dr. R. A. de Castro Bato. Mr. G. R. Bato welcomed Mr. Bato to the Board.

## CHANCELLOR AND BIMETALLISM

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even in accepting the theory that a rise in the price of silver would increase trade with India and China.

## INDIA'S HOARDS.

The Chinese, he said, had a silver currency, but India had not. Therefore, as far as India was concerned, the theory must be based upon the assumption that a rise in the value of the hoards of silver in India would enable India to do a large trade with other countries. But a large proportion of the silver hoards in India were not in a monetary form, but in the form of ornaments, bracelets, etc. In the past, India had steadily increased those hoards and had not used them as a means of purchasing goods, but for establishing social status.

An examination of the variations in the price of silver during recent years did not yield any evidence in the figures of Indian imports that she utilised her hoards of silver, when the price of silver rose, to buy more goods from other countries.

## CHINA'S CURRENCY.

As regards China, Mr. Chamberlain agreed that the position was slightly different because China had a silver currency and if silver rose the value of China's currency rose also, together naturally with China's purchasing power in foreign markets. But then China's selling power decreased and ordinary economic laws began to operate.

Then again, in the case of China, he did not find in the figures that they bore out the view that a change in the value of silver made a corresponding difference in the value of China's imports. Imports into China fell only ten per cent. during a period when silver fell by 27 per cent. in value.

Without being dogmatic about it, he was unable to convince himself that a rise in the price of silver would have the value effect claimed on the trade of Lancashire with China and India.

## SILVER AND GOLD.

Turning to the question of whether an increase of the available supply of metal, either of gold or its equivalent in silver, would increase the available supply of gold to enable the value of wholesale commodity prices to rise throughout the world, Mr. Chamberlain said that one must remember that the available supplies of gold had enormously increased from 1,000,000,000 sterling in 1900 to 2,500,000,000 sterling in 1932.

When one considered the amount of extra gold that would be necessary to make a difference to-day, one must consider that extra amount in relation to the available supplies of gold in the world.

## GOLD DISCOVERIES.

The remarkable discoveries of gold in the nineteenth century in California and Australia and the subsequent developments in the Rand goldfields had produced an enormous effect because they were great in comparison with the then existing supplies of gold but if gold had to increase two and a half times in thirty years, it was clear that no great discovery of gold in the future was going to have a similar effect upon the amount of gold required for monetary purposes.

What would be the effect on silver? What was the amount of silver we could expect to get? The proposal was that the Central Banks should agree to accept a certain proportion of silver at a fixed ratio to gold, and that the price of silver should be the market price.

## MARKET PRICE.

If it were going to be the market price, said Mr. Chamberlain, there would be no great inducement for those hoards to come out of India and China. They could not come from China, because China wanted her silver for currency, unless silver rose highly in price, when she would require less silver.

Supposing the price of silver rose to two shillings, they thus got 1,000,000,000 ounces of silver—the highest possible figure. That would only mean an addition equivalent to £100,000,000 gold to available supplies of £2,500,000,000. That would be only two per cent. (The figure should obviously be four per cent.) It would be too small to make any appreciable effect, and even the annual supplies of silver were not going to add to the visible supplies of gold more than .2 per cent.

## AGAINST BIMETALLISM.

He did not see, therefore, how it could be argued that the bringing of silver to help out gold was

## RUGBY &amp; CRICKET TEAMS

TO-DAY.

Club "A" v Kowloon—Valley, Club "A"—Fox, King, Allora, Jenkins, Harbord, Lowson, Selby, Garrod, McElroy, Andrews, Cox, Cochran, Nigel, Dabziel and Munro. Kowloon:—Skinner, Owen, Davies, Easterbrook, Whitley, Ferguson, Pearl, Torrible, Watson, Stillard, Brokenshire, Wilson, MacNider, Lieut. Prior, Cogah, La Roche.

## CRICKET.

H.K.C.C. v Kowloon C.C.—Friday and Saturday. H.K.C.C.—A.W. Hayward, A.C. Beck, H.J. Armstrong, G.E.R. Divett, E.R. Duckitt, G.S. Dunkley, D.S. Harley, H.J.D. Lowe, L.T. Ride, C.B.R. Sargent and J.P. Whitman.

K.C.C.—F. Goodwin, E.C. Fincher, E.F. Fincher, J.C. Lynd, A.T. Lay, G.C. Burnett, A.E. Perry, N.A.E. MacKay, J. Hunter, I. McInnes, and W.C. Ilung.

## MISSIONARIES SAFE

## COMMUNISTS ON THE RETREAT

Foochow, Nov. 1. The British and American missionaries from Kienning and Yenping arrived safely in Foochow yesterday evening. They say that Yenping is quiet, and there was really no need for withdrawal from there. The military, under General Liu Ho-Ting, gave them every facility for the journey.

There has been serious fighting to the west of Kienyang, but the Communists are said to be retreating southwards, no doubt wishing to join up with their friends who are being pressed by the Nineteenth Army in West Fukien. Thus things seem very much brighter, and it is to be hoped that they will remain so.—Our Own Correspondent.

## JOBLESS LEADER SENTENCED.

## THREE MONTHS IN PRISON FOR HANNINGTON

London, Nov. 8. Imprisonment for three months was to-day imposed on W. A. L. Hannington, leader of the recent unemployed disorders in London, when he appeared before the Bow Street Magistrate. Hannington was charged with having attempted to cause dissatisfaction among the police during unemployed disorders in Trafalgar Square on October 30.

Hannington's arrest followed a police raid on the headquarters of the National Unemployed Workers' Federation in Great Russell Street on Tuesday. Papers in the offices were seized on that occasion and led to a charge against Sydney Job Elias, Chairman of the movement.—Reuter.

## HURRICANE'S TOLL

## NO NEWS YET OF THE PHENIX

London, Nov. 8. Messages from New York report that the tropical hurricane that roared up the Caribbean Sea over the week-end is still hiding the fate of the Blue Funnel liner Phenix, bound for Hongkong, which sent out distress signals on Sunday. Since the vessel sent out feeble S.O.S. calls, nothing has been heard of her, and rescuers are still unable to locate her exact position.

The same hurricane exacted its toll from an American wind-jammer that ran right into the teeth of the storm. The schooner Abundance was wrecked off East Jamaica and totally destroyed. The crew of six was saved.—Our Own Correspondent.

Mak Mui, 21, was conveyed to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday following an accident in Des Voeux Road Central, when, in attempting to alight from a moving tram, she fell and suffered concussion. Another woman, named Wong Foo, living at No. 15, Peking Road, was similarly injured when stepping from a tram in Des Voeux Road Central, near the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. She was also admitted to the Government Civil Hospital.

In the present circumstances of the world, going to be any effective help to us, even supposing we could get what he was certain we could not get, namely, agreement among all the Central Banks to adopt the system.

Concluding, Mr. Chamberlain said he was not very hopeful of any bimetallic proposal helping us over our present difficulties. Reuter and British Wireless.

## WHERE INTERPORT TRIAL FAILED

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Borderers right wing, continually ruined himself by hasty and unintelligent ball distribution. Instead of drawing the opposition he persisted in booting the sphere hard and high up the field, where, if it fell at the feet of one of his forwards, O.K., but if not, then his whole work of gaining possession of the ball, was nullified.

## WHERE BLISS SHOULD PLAY.

The same criticism applies with certain qualifications to his fellow half backs, Pardoe and Bliss, although the latter did endeavour to obliterate early faults with some neat constructive play in the second half. Pardoe was quite outclassed and obviously is not up to Interport standard.

Of course, planting Bliss from his customary position at left half to the other side of the field is hardly conducive to the player producing his best form. If Bliss is going to play he should be given his correct position, and it is well to bear in mind that in that position, he is easily one of the finest intermediates in local football.

Thanks to the complete inability of the Borderers forwards to either combine or shoot, the Trial rearguard enjoyed a fairly comfortable afternoon. Martin, unpolished and unscientific, was in his usual form, and had no difficulty in holding up Harris and Lakeman, the latter being lamentably weak in his centres.

Mullane, particularly in the first half, was given a fairly busy time looking after Jones and Duncan, but he came through the ordeal well.

## STEREOTYPED JONES.

Jones makes things easy for a defence by his stereotyped tactics. Yesterday he repeated what I accused him of in the last Interport trial. He played on Duncan's outside left to such an extent that it was obvious where he was going to put the ball, and Mullane had only to position himself accordingly. If Jones would vary his passing and serve up his centre-forward and the right wing with passes of the same calibre with which he works Duncan to death, then his value as a forward would be doubly enhanced.

## CONFIDENT RODGER.

Rodger in goal, although having very little to do, was I think, the one man in the Trial side whose display left one with a feeling that so far as his position was concerned all would be well. His confident handling of the ball, excellent anticipation and positioning made him appear unbeatable, and with the Borderers attack in such a demoralised state, it was not conceivable that he would allow the ball to pass him.

Thus the team as individuals: not one a real failure; some good, hard working and very conscientious; and one or two outstanding. But as a team combining together as a controlled and well-directed unit, the story was somewhat different.

One felt the need of a brainy leader who could offer the necessary stimulus and give the required example to set in motion a machinery which would piece together these individuals and make the side a cohesive and progressive unit. If Barber had been there this may have resulted, but whatever speculations in this direction may be, it is irrefutable that this unified side to meet Shanghai must be discovered.

## THE GOALS.

Two of the six goals came in the first half, during which period the Borderers were vainly struggling to get into their stride. Johnson seized a forward pass early on and broke through to easily beat his namesake, and Suen followed suit when he snapped up a pass from Gosano.

The second half was bordering on the farcical. The soldiers went to pieces and the Trial team scored at will.

Baldry cut in and with a clever right footed drive added the third. Johnson repeated his first half effort with a glorious drive. Wong Mee-shun obtained the fifth and Suen, completing a neat piece of work, the sixth and last.

The Borderers never looked like scoring, Davies displaying atrocious shooting powers and both Harris and Duncan failing to muddle the ball squarely.

The teams were: Trial Team:—Rodger: Mullane & Martin; Bliss, Pardoe, & A. Duncan; B. Gosano, Wong Mee-shun, Johnson, Suen Kam-shun and Baldry. Borderers:—Johnson: Williams & Morrison; Morgan, Podmore & Channings; Harris, Lakeman, Davies, Jones and Duncan.

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Sir Thomas Beechan conducting the Royal Philharmonic Orch. L2037. The Season's Ballet (Glazounov). Alexander Glazounov and Orchestra. LX29/30. Dance of the Flowers (Debussy). Lucerna Kursaal Orchestra LX30. 7.25-8 p.m. Request Items. Vocal Duet—Untill (Teschemacher and Sanderson).

Vocal Duet—Bird Songs at Eventide (Barrie and Coates). Dora Labbette and Hubert Elsdell DB380.

Saxophone Solo—Down In The Forest (Landon Ronald). Saxophone Solo—At Dawning (Cadmán). Howard Jacobs DB386.

Humorous Song—Splitting Up. Flanagan and Allen DB395. Humorous Song—Musical Influenza. The Atlecho Opera Company DB382. Yodel—Tyrolean Yodler. Yodel—Clickoo in the Wood. Fredal Lasser DB542.

Descriptive Sketch—The Laughing Policeman at Madam Tussauds. Charles Penrose, Kaye Connor and Company DB381.

Accordeon Band—Accordeon Nights. Gerald and his Band DB391. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8-8.40 p.m. Grieg's Concerto in A Minor played by Arthur de Greef, and the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald. (This Suite is kindly loaned by a Listener).

8.40-9.30 p.m. Variety. Song—If They Ever Had An Income Tax On Love. Song—Hang Out The Stars in Indiana. Florence Oldham DB724.

Organ Solo—Round The Marble Arch. Organ Solo—Lullaby of the Leaves. Organ Solo—Sidney Torch DB382.

Band—The "O!" Song. Band—I've Gone Lost My Little Yo-Yo. Billy Cotton and His Band DB600. Descriptive Sketch—The Channel Swimmer. Horace Kennedy DB805.

Orchestral—Daly's Theatre Waltz Memories. Charles Prentice and his Orchestra DX319. Organ Solo—By The Blue Lagoon Waters. Organ Solo—The Vision of Fuji-San. Reginald Foort DX315.

Humorous Sketch—The 'Ole In The Road. George Graves and Myles Clifton 9820.

9.30-10 p.m. From the Studio. A Talk by Professor Brown on "A Recent Visit to Western Australia." 10-10.20 p.m. Musical Comedy. Helton Vocal Gema. Columbia Light Opera Co. DX331. The Land of Smiles—Selections. London Theatre Orchestra DX262. A Country Girl—Vocal Gems. Columbia Light Opera Co. DX73.

10.27 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News. 10.30 p.m. Close Down. All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

## KZRM PROGRAMME.

To-day's broadcast from the Manila station: 5.00 p.m.—Tea Dance Music. 6.10 p.m.—Spanish Information Period. 6.30 p.m.—English Information Period.

7.00 p.m.—Studio Dialect Programme. Ilango—Francisco del Rosario. 7.15 p.m.—Spanish Presentation. 7.45 p.m.—Studio Programme Tonia Drow, Soprano and Loring Nash.

8.00 p.m.—Studio Dialect Programme. Cebuano—Ludivina Gonzales, Soprano. 8.15 p.m.—Students' Radio Club—Guest announcer—Key Rowe.

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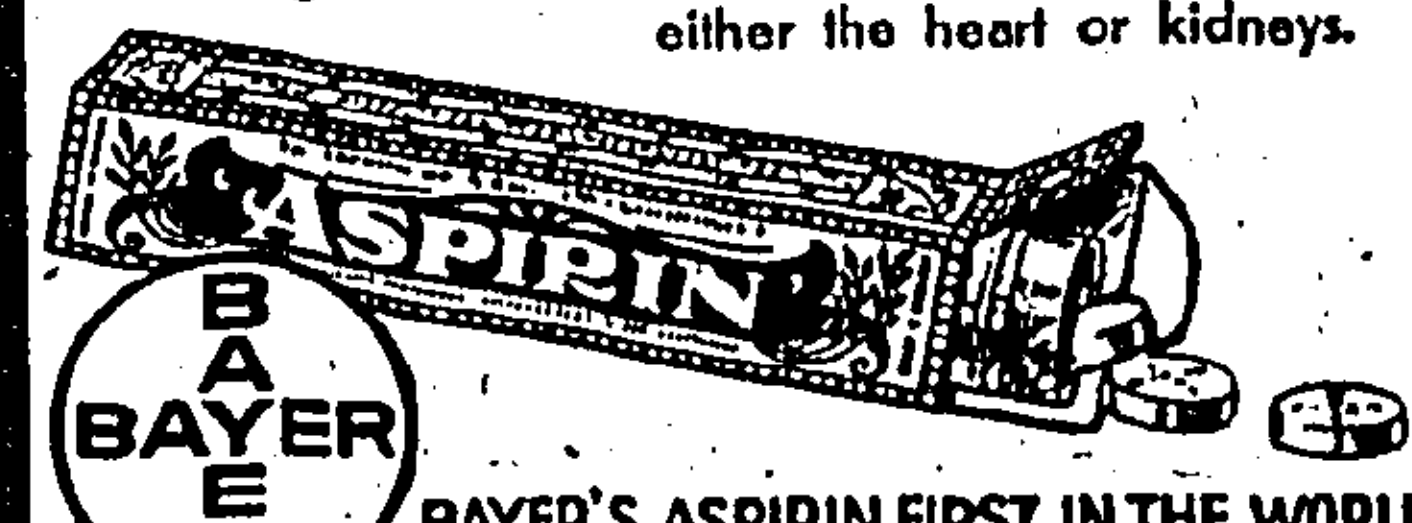


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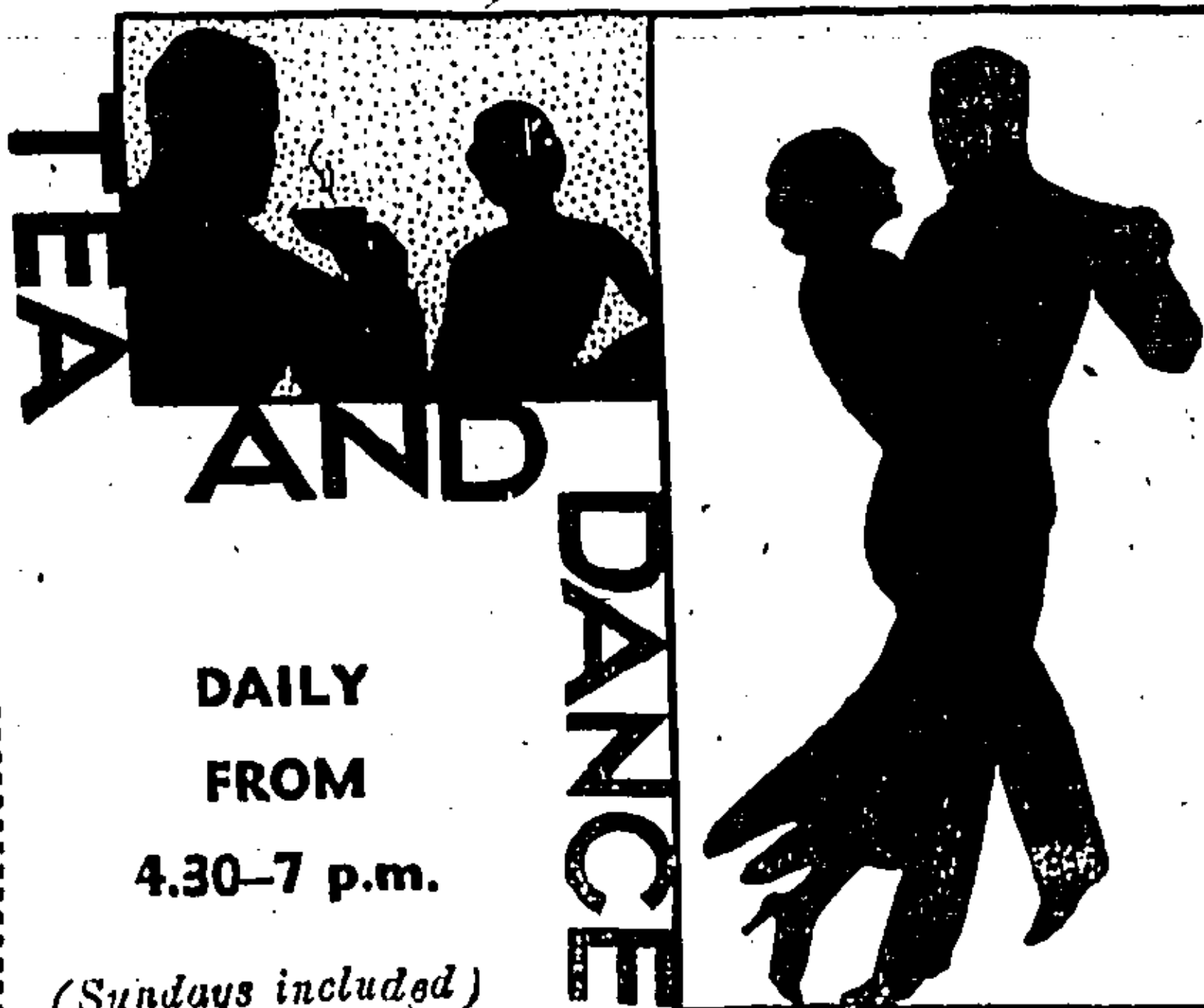
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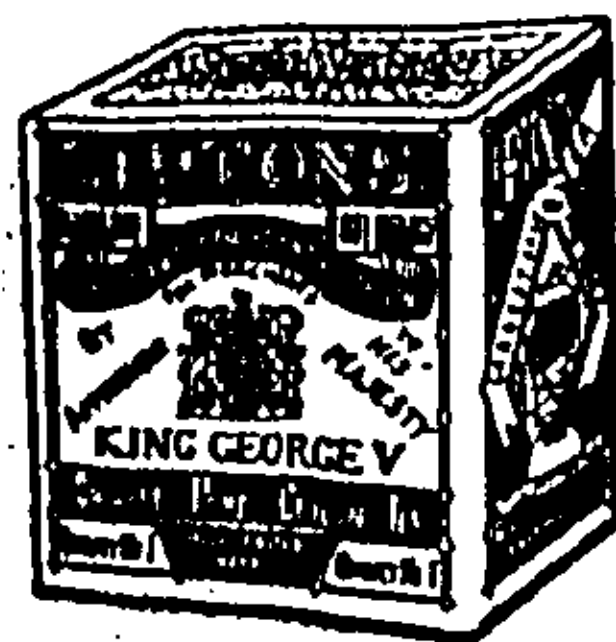
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## WHERE INTERPORT TRIAL FAILED

TEAM WORK GIVES PLACE  
TO INDIVIDUALISMFEW SUCCESSES AGAINST POOR  
OPPOSITIONJOHNSON IMPROVES ON HOWE  
AS CENTRE FORWARD

(By "VERITAS".)

Interport Trial Team ..... 6  
(Johnson 2, Suen Kam-shun 2, Baldry and Wong Mee-shun)  
South Wales Borderers ..... 0

THE first thing the selectors have to do about yesterday's Interport football trial match is to forget the score. It conveys nothing of value and is likely to give a false impression. Not that the Trial team were not worth their six goals. But the opposition!

The Borderers, apparently obsessed with the idea that after all they were only fodder for a team struggling to convince the selectors that each and all were worthy of inclusion in the Interport side, gave up trying after the first half an hour, and the most ragged, disappointing and inconclusive trial match resulted.

Apart from indicating that Rodger is still the best goalkeeper available, that Mullane is a right back worthy of Interport honours (both of which facts were already known) and that Johnson is a more forceful leader of the attack than Howe, I fail to see how yesterday's trial assisted the selection committee.

Viewing the team as a whole one discovered very little unity, a disturbing lack of finesse, and a considerable amount of robust individualism, the whole producing ragged and rather unscientific football.

One of the most disappointing players on the field was B. Gosano who was right below form. Even the constantly relaxing defence of the Borderers failed to encourage him to recover lost ground, and on yesterday's display the selectors will have to think seriously before sending him to Shanghai. He was slow in making ground, put across only half a dozen serviceable centres during the game, and muffed at least double that number.

## JOHNSON SATISFIES.

On the other hand I was genuinely impressed with Johnson, and if he can reproduce regularly his work of yesterday, is fully capable of taking over the leadership of the Interport attack.

His ball distribution has not the same hall-marked quality as Howe's, but on yesterday's form he can give the Club centre forward points in utilising through passes and heading for goal. He is virile, ever watchful, and likes nothing better than to seize the ball on the run and break through by sheer speed and weight. He is a Dixie Dean type of player, and therefore dangerous to any defence.

The inclusion of Wong Mee-shun and Suen Kam-shun, although adding a certain amount of zest to the vanguard, did not find the two players themselves unusually impressive.

Suen, of course, was selected for this trial purely on his reputation, for he had only played once before this season prior to yesterday which offered practically to

## "PROBABLES" CHOSEN

Howe Leads Attack and  
Jones Returns

Last night the selection committee chose the following as the probable Interport football team who will meet the Rest of the Colony in the final trial on Friday on the Club ground, kick-off at 4 p.m. sharp.

## PROBABLES.

Rodger (Club): Mullane (S.W.B.) and S. Strange (Club): Blues (Kowloon), Wong Mee-shun (S. China) and A. Duncan (Club): B. Gosano (St. Joseph's), Suen Kam-shun (Athletic), Howe (Club), Jones (S.W.B.) and Baldry (Lincolns).

Reserves:—Martin (Club), Beltrac (St. Joseph's) and Johnson (Police).

Rodger has been appointed to captain the team to visit Shanghai. The Rest of the Colony team for Friday has been finally selected as follows:

Chan Sik-pui (S. China), Allan (R.A.) and Lau Mau (S. China): Leung Wing-chui (S. China), Pardoe (R.A.) and Tong Kwan (S. China): Chang Shui-hong (S. China), Bryant (R.A.), Lee Yee-sun (S. China), Rawson and Duncan (S.W.B.).

Reserves:—Morrison (S.W.B.), Moore (R.A.), Robertson (Navy).

data whatever regarding his form.

Of the two, however, Suen accomplished the more valuable work, spoon-feeding Baldry with delicate passes and causing no end of worry to the Borderers' defence with his tantalising tricks and footwork.

## IS WONG STALE?

Wong Mee-shun gave signs of having developed staleness, unless it was because he was still suffering from the effects of playing centre-half last Saturday. Certainly he was not the Wong of South China that has been known locally for some considerable time. He came into his own when the Borderers as a team had collapsed and there was nobody to say him nay, but up to the interval he failed to get going, and made very little improvement on Ridley's display of the previous trial.

Baldry was constantly in the limelight and gave a good account of himself, utilising to the best advantage many of the passes he received. Furthermore his willingness to cut in and to change position with Suen on the attack were excellent tactics for keeping the opposition on tenterhooks.

## SAME OLD STORY.

Back among the halves there was the same curious tale to tell. A story which has been emphasised in these columns time after time. Splendid in defence, fine spotters, getting the ball nine times out of ten, yet invariably rendering the work useless by wild and indiscriminate passes.

The analogy to this type of play is like a cricketer scoring 20 runs and then giving away 100 in dropped catches. Andy Duncan, easily the most hard working player on the field, and successful in holding in complete subjection the

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AN INTER-VARSITY tennis and basketball contest was played on Sunday last at Pokfulam, when the Lingnam University visited Hongkong, beating the local undergraduates. Photo shows teams which included lady tennis sides.—(Photo: Khoo Ken-wah).

## DEBUT DEFEAT FOR 8TH

## FLOTILLA

R. A. S. C. HELD  
TO A DRAW

## MAMAK HOCKEY

The Destroyer Flotilla made their debut in the Mamak Tournament yesterday against H.M.S. Tamar and were defeated by two goals to one. Stone, at centre forward, was responsible for both goals scored by the Tamar, while Sloane replied from the left for the Flotilla.

At Sookumpoo, a depleted R.A.S.C. side met the R.A.M.C., and the game resulted in a goalless draw. Notable absences from the R.A.S.C. side were Fennell and Tipler.

## LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
First Battery	7	5	0	2	32	7	12
Incognita	6	5	1	0	30	7	11
Radio Sports	5	5	0	0	28	5	10
R.A.S.C.	9	4	1	4	10	14	9
R. Engineers	7	4	0	3	8	12	8
Police	4	3	1	0	10	6	7
University	5	3	0	2	12	10	6
Wishart	5	3	0	2	10	10	6
24th Battery	3	2	1	0	7	3	5
Phoenix	6	2	1	3	12	15	5
Medway	2	2	0	11	0	4	4
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R.A.M.C.	6	1	1	4	3	11	3
Parthian	3	1	0	2	4	9	2
24th Battery	3	1	0	2	3	7	2
Veteran	5	1	0	4	8	10	2
24th Battery	3	0	0	3	1	7	0
R.A.O.C.	4	0	0	4	0	12	0
Kowloon Indians	5	0	0	5	3	23	0
Gerrard Club	6	0	0	6	1	29	0
Destroyer Flotilla	1	0	0	1	1	2	0

## TO-DAY'S MAMAK.

K.I.T.C. v. 24th Battery—U.S.R.C. 4.30 p.m.

K.I.T.C.—G. Singh, Firdos Khan and Naidu: B. Singh, K. Hussain and Atwa Singh: G. M. Khan, Nazara Singh, A. Khan, M. Skelliff and M. Hassan. Reserves:—Japan Dad and Sar Kay Lama.

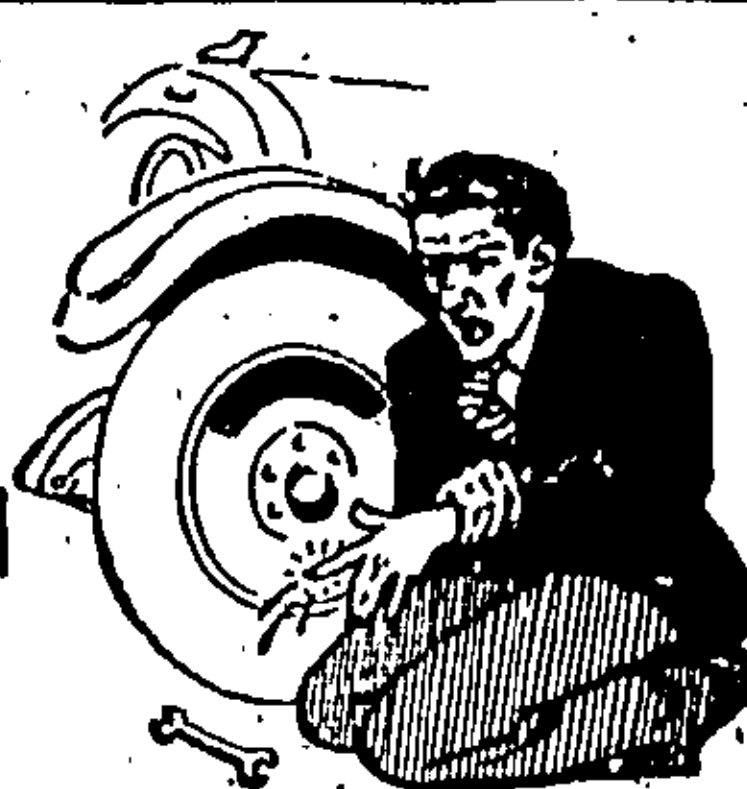
## FRIENDLIES.

The Y.M.C.A. and the Club do Revere played to a one goal draw at King's Park yesterday in a friendly match. At the interval the Club led by one goal to nil, scored by their inside right, but about half way through the second half McLellan brought the scores level. W. Reed, the Hongkong Club player, was conspicuous in the half line for the Club.

The match between the R.A. and Kowloon Indians at Sookumpoo yesterday resulted in a goalless draw.

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The jury went to a cinema to see the film after they had visited the track and seen where the giant Bentley which Dunfee was driving left the track at more than 120 miles an hour.

The film was shown at first at normal speed and later in slow-motion.

It enabled the jury to see the car mounting the bank and somersaulting along the edge before it plunged over the embankment. The driver's body and a tree can be seen rolling down the track.

One Day's Practice Mrs. Dunfee (Miss Jane Baxter the actress) gave evidence at the inquest. She told the coroner that her husband had not raced since they were married two years ago. He had practised for one day with the Bentley and said he felt all right.

Mr. John Cobb, who was at the wheel of the Talbot, said he tried to keep as low on the embankment as he could. So far as he could remember he did not take his foot off the accelerator. He did not know the Bentley was so close.

Hub Shell Missing

Mr. Robert R. Jackson, a motor engineer, who examined the car after the accident, said the rim and tyre of the offside rear wheel were missing. One portion of the hub was still there, but the outer shell was missing. If the hub cracked it might affect the steering.

Mr. Percy Bradley, permanent clerk of the course at Brooklands, said the track had been open since 1907, theoretically it was designed so that a driver could go round at a maximum speed of 120 miles an hour with his hands off the steering wheel, but by taking hold of the wheel he could lap at very much higher speed.

Mr. Wills Taylor: If speed increases will the time arrive when the question of the curvy of the track will have to be reviewed? I think it will have to be looked into.

The jury returned a verdict of death by misadventure.

They added a rider that in their opinion the regulations concerning the passing of slower by faster cars should be tightened up and a definite ruling given to competitors in racing events.

### CENTRAL BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

#### NEW RULES ADOPTED AT ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Central British Association was held at the Central British School last evening, under the chairmanship of Mr. G. P. de Martin, President.

The Report and Statement of Accounts for the past season was unanimously adopted on the proposition of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. H. A. Angus. A loss on Bar Account was transferred to the General Account of the Club.

Re-drafted rules were adopted by the meeting, on the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. E. S. Moses. The new rules raised male members' subscriptions from \$6 to \$10 annually, and reduced those of the lady members from \$6 to \$5.

The following officials were elected for the present season: President, Mr. G. P. de Martin. Vice-Presidents, Mr. B. Wylie and Miss E. S. Woolley. Chairman, Mr. G. Franklin. Nightingale. General Committee: Miss M. L. Whitley, and Messrs. J. J. Ferguson, S. MacNider, J. J. King, G. B. Gurevitch and B. Bickford (Bar Convener).

### BOOKSTORE UNION MAKES PROTEST.

#### AGAINST CLOSING DOWN OF PUBLISHERS

Shanghai, Nov. 8. The Shanghai Bookstore Union is strongly protesting against the Government's decision to close down the bookstore which published the book in which the ancestry of the Mohammedans is attributed to pigs.

The Union has wired Nanking deprecating any such action without judicial procedure.—*Reuter's Special.*

#### Nanking Edict.

Nanking, Nov. 8. The Executive Yuan has issued an order reiterating that freedom of religious belief is one of the principal rights of Chinese people, recalling the prominent part that some Mohammedans played in the history of the Republic.

This is expected to appease the Mohammedans, who took offence at the recent article in the Shanghai magazine.—*Reuter.*

### CHEFOO: CHANGES HANDS.

#### GEN. HAN FU-CHU'S MEN RELIEVED

Chefoo, Nov. 8.

The transport Chinghai arrived this morning from Tsingtao with 800 marines under Captain Li Yuen-ching, accompanied by Captain Kuo Ling-beh. They have landed and completely taken over control of Chefoo.

Gen. Han Fu-chu's troops, under Colonel Hwang, will be departing for Hwanghsien this evening and to-morrow.

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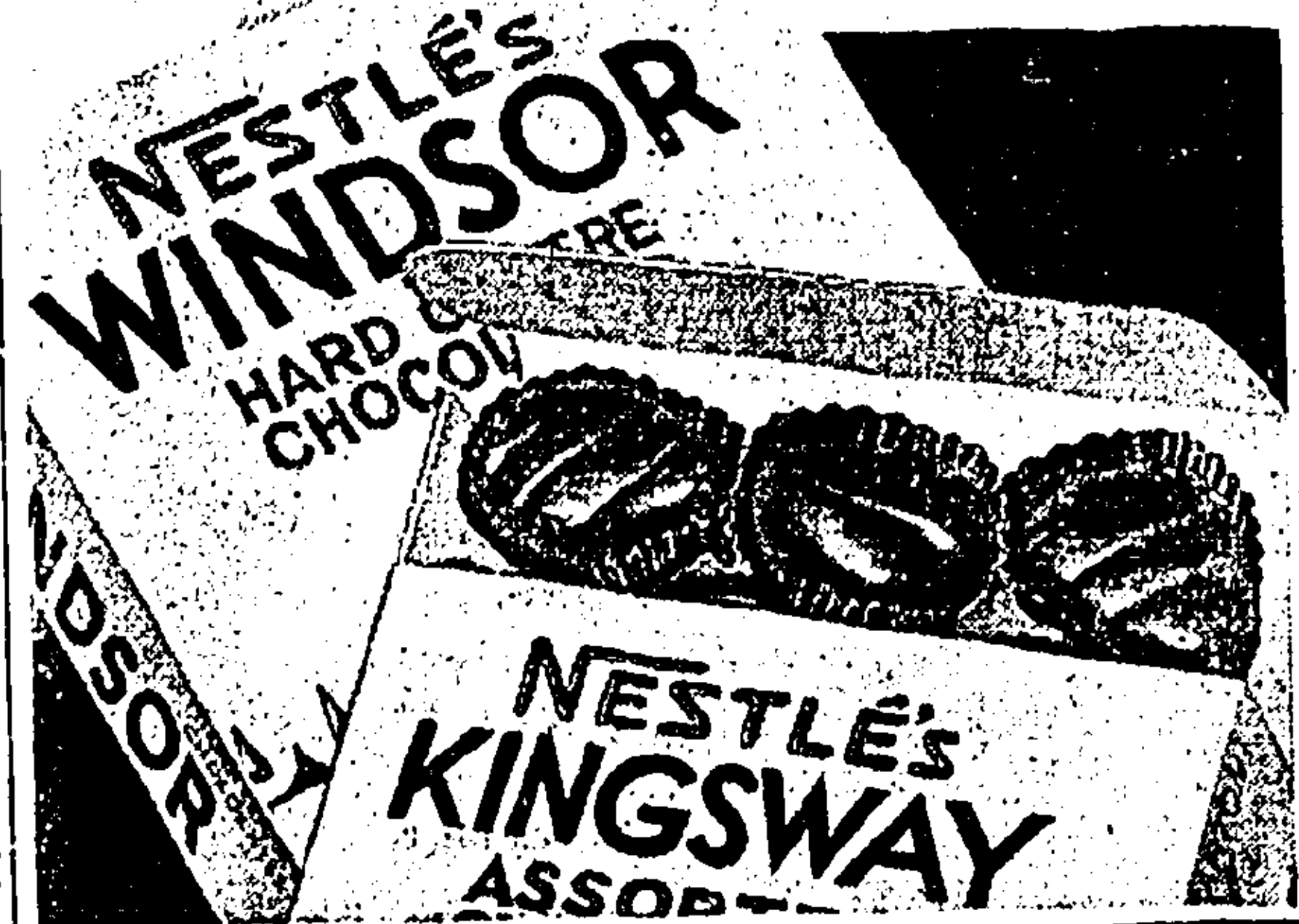
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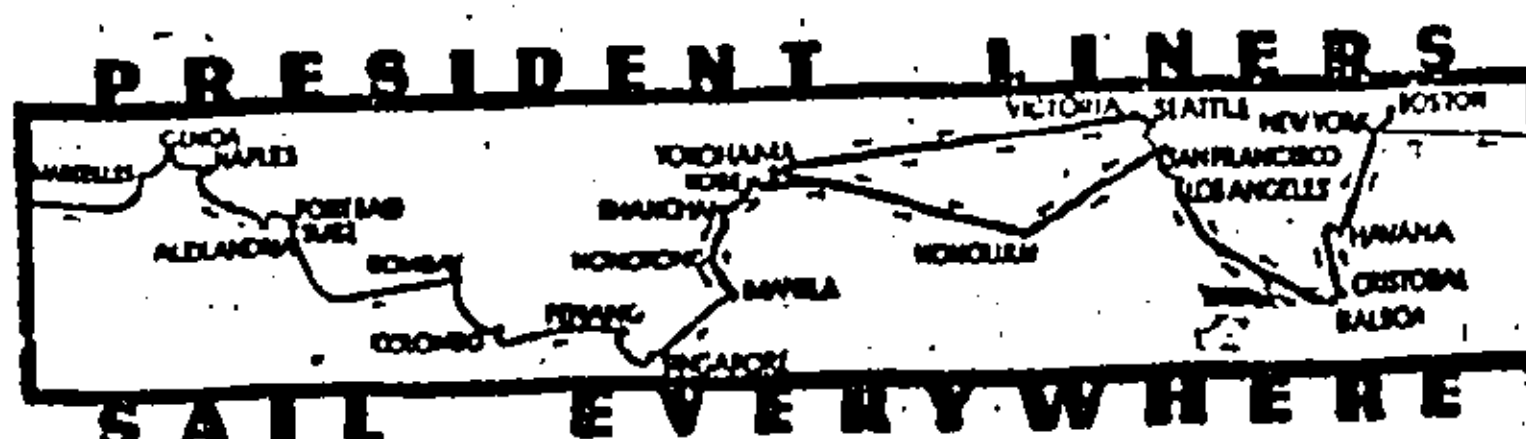
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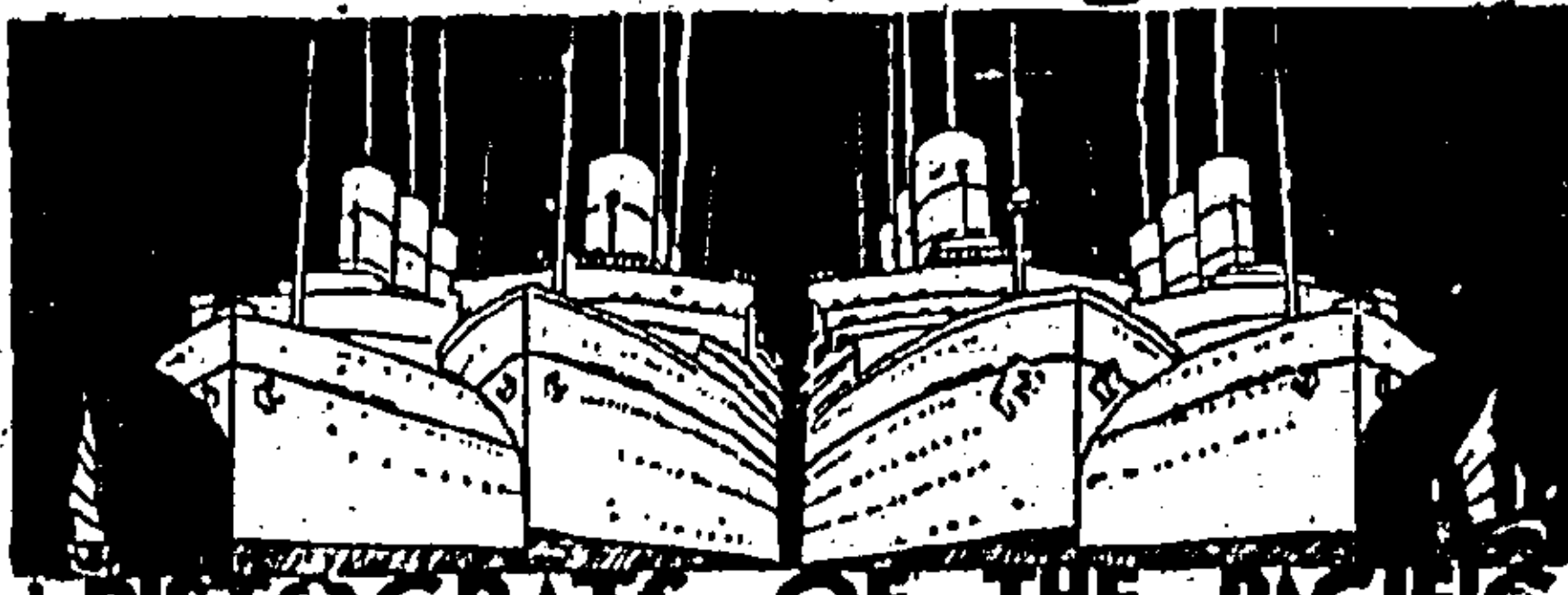
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ANTI-SPITTING  
REGULATION.APPROVED BY SANITARY  
BOARD YESTERDAY

At the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board, held yesterday afternoon, Mr. G. R. Sayer, the President, moved, "That the Board approve the introduction of the following addition to the by-laws governing markets—No person shall spit in any market stall; nor in any market avenue, stair-way, or thoroughfare."

Those present besides Mr. Sayer were the Hon. Mr. R. H. Henderson, Vice-President, Dr. G. W. Pope, Mr. H. H. Wong Kwong-tin, Mr. M. H. Lo, Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, Mr. C. Champkin, Mr. C. H. Bastie, Mr. J. H. Gelling, secretary, and Mr. Ng Mui-kai, assistant secretary.

In moving the proposition standing in his name, Mr. Sayer said that when last April he introduced a series of by-laws designed to prevent promiscuous spitting in all premises licensed and controlled by the Board, he omitted the public markets. It was an important omission, but it was a legitimate one. The public markets comprised an addition to the licensed portions, i.e. stalls, controlled areas, avenues, passages and stairways to which the general public had free access, and over which the stall holders had no control. It seemed to him, therefore, that if they applied their anti-spitting by-laws to the markets they should be definitely extending their field of operation, and he thought that the Board would have accepted that by-law at the time, but he thought it was better to consolidate their original position first. That had now been done, for their warning concerning spitting with tuberculosis had been in force for over six months or more, and he did not think there could be many frequenters of the public markets who were unaware of the dangers of spitting.

## No Power of Arrest.

One further consideration he had in his mind at the time was whether they would be able to enforce the by-law. The reason being that whereas the Board by the officers of the department had the power of proceeding against an infringement of the by-law, they had no power of arrest. That difficulty still existed, but he was convinced it was more apparent than real. The object of the by-law was not merely to stop promiscuous spitting, but to induce people to abandon the habit altogether. The object of these measures was well-known to the Board, and they did not impose it because some of them granted that the practice of spitting was indecent, but they did it because of the expert opinion that the practice was a direct cause of the spread of tuberculosis.

The value of this particular by-law was twofold. In the first place, it seemed obvious that in the places where fresh food was sold a good standard of hygiene should be maintained. There was a further object, and that was the additional means of broadcasting their warning against indulging in this habit in general to the public at large. The by-law would complete the legislation programme against spitting, so succinctly suggested to them by the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau for the notice of the Board.

Mr. Wong Kwong-tin seconded the motion.

Mr. M. K. Lo, in supporting the motion, said that he would like to congratulate Mr. Sayer on his very clear statements setting out the circumstances which imperatively called for the introduction of the by-law, and the beneficial effect to the public health. They were getting quite wearied of the returns showing fifty to sixty deaths from tuberculosis every week. The matter had been discussed some time ago at the instance of Dr. Li Shu-fan, and then it had been learnt that all the alarming number of deaths showed a greater and more alarming figure of persons actually infected with tuberculosis.

## Prosecution Urged.

He agreed that in a market where vegetables and food were disposed for sale, anything so inimical to health and such a serious menace should be prohibited. He thought that Sanitary Inspectors should be patient enough to draw the attention of first offenders, but if necessary to enforce the by-law by prosecution, and he certainly should have no hesitation in supporting any such necessary action.

Mr. Champkin also added his support to the motion, saying that he saw no reason why it should not receive the support of all members. The only possible objection that could be raised was by the general theory that it was not possible to

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Arrested by the Police on October 27 for larceny of a pair of trousers and a vest from No. 2 Chatham Road, the residence of Mr. H. S. Rouse, Chung Tak-fong, with a bad record, was found to be a returned banished.

In bringing him before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon on charges of larceny and returning from banishment, Detective Inspector Elston applied for committal.

Defendant pleaded guilty to the larceny charges and was sentenced to two months on each count, to run consecutively.

Evidence of arrest was given by a Chinese detective, after which Inspector Vincent testified to identifying defendant's fingerprints. Defendant, it was revealed, had six previous convictions.

After hearing the evidence, his Worship committed defendant to the next Criminal Sessions.

## Another Committal.

Another returned banished, Wong Hing, was brought before Mr. Butters yesterday afternoon, committal being also asked for in this case.

Evidence of arrest was given by Shek Tui, principal Chinese detective, who stated that about 8.30 p.m. on November 4 he apprehended defendant in Portland Street near Mongkok Road. Defendant was pointed out to him by a man. Another Chinese detective, Chan Wah, deposed to seeing defendant off from the Colony on August 24, 1932.

His Worship committed this man also.

## THE WATER SUPPLY.

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OF THE MONTH

The total storage of water in the Colony's reservoirs on November 1, according to figures supplied by the Water Authority, was 2,668.28 million gallons, as compared with 2,764.89 million gallons on the corresponding date last year.

Of this total 2,040.94 were in the Island reservoirs and 627.44 m.g. in those of Kowloon, as compared with 2,093.88 m.g. in the Island and 665.92 m.g. in Kowloon on October 1.

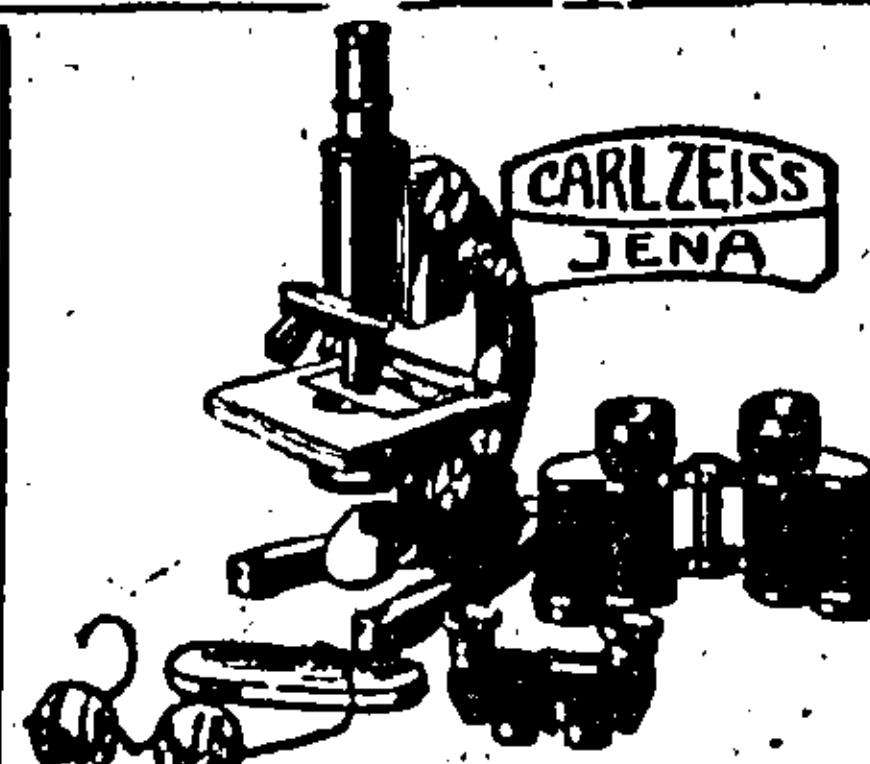
The consumption of water on the Island for the month was 875.81 m.g. for an estimated population of 384,250, giving a consumption per head per day of 31.5 gallons, as compared with a consumption of 31.61 m.g. for an estimated population of 381,250, or a consumption of 32.3 gallons per head per day, for September.

In Kowloon, the consumption was 182.08 m.g. for an estimated population of 305,700, giving a consumption per head per day of 19.2 gallons as compared with 189.67 m.g. for an estimated population of 291,900, or a consumption per head per day of 17.6 gallons.

The rainfall for the Colony since January 1 is given as 87.25 inches as compared with 74.67 inches in 1931.

put forward legislation when it was not possible to enforce it, but Mr. Sayer had referred to that aspect of the question.

Dr. Pope, also supporting the motion, said that he would like to draw their attention to the fact that during the cholera epidemic certain regulations were introduced which caused some hardship to small vendors, but it appeared that the present legislation would cause practically no hardship, as it was merely a step to end a bad habit.



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whereas in the other case there was a definite sacrifice on the part of the vendors.

The motion was put to the Board, and carried unanimously.

The remainder of the business at the meeting was purely formal.



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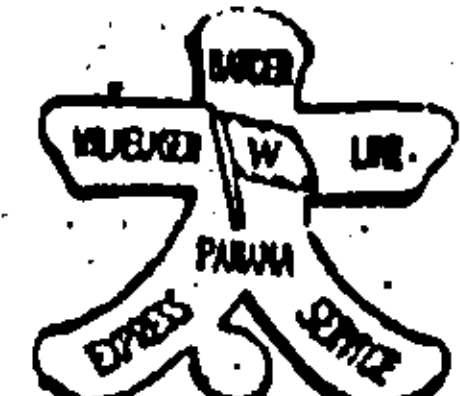
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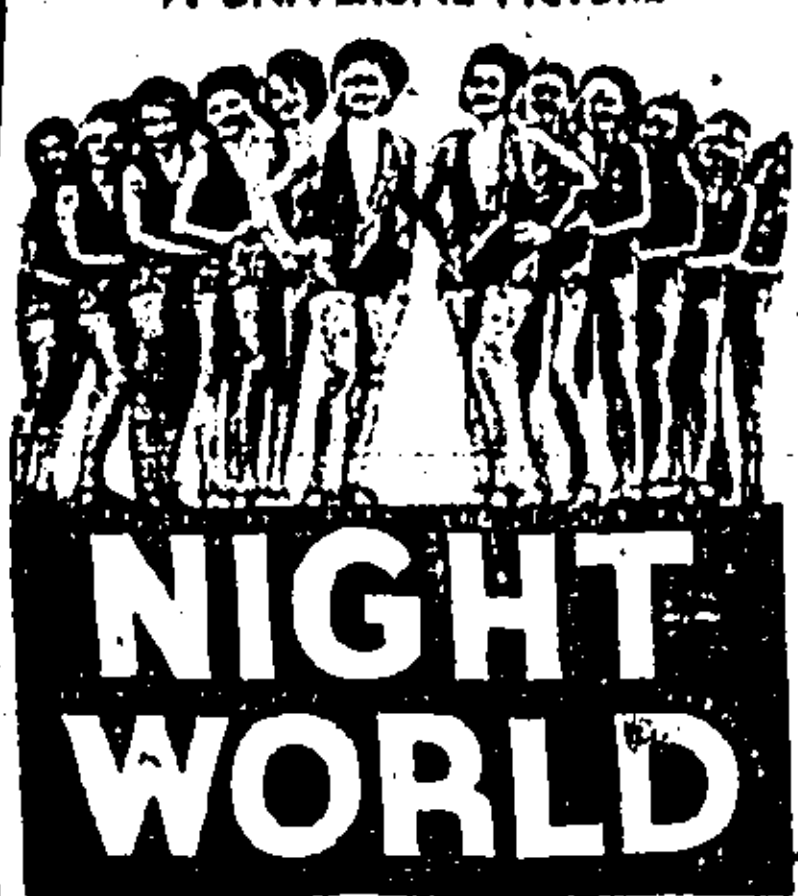
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## TO AID CHINESE VOLUNTEERS

### CANTON RAISING FUNDS

Canton, Nov. 8.

Funds to aid the North-East Volunteers will be raised here by a football match between Canton and Hongkong teams, a national art exhibition and a bazaar, according to a decision of the Kwangtung Public Bodies Assistance to North-East Volunteers' Association.

The Mechanics' Union has issued an appeal for funds to aid the Volunteers who are described as "the pillar of the State, whose collapse would mean the crumbling of the national edifice." To succeed the Volunteers is the duty of every Chinese citizen, and wholehearted efforts are necessary, the Union urges.—Central Press.

### "UNDESIRABLE GOODS"

#### CANTON RAILWAY SEIZURES

Canton, Nov. 8.

Smuggling of "undesirable" goods through the Canton-Kowloon Railway, is being halted by employees of that line, many of the products found being either confiscated or burnt.

Some of the confiscated goods are being retained for exhibition in prominent places along the railway in order to display to the public the nature of "undesirable" goods.

Among the products seized are matches, dried sea food, piece goods, brushes, towels, etc. The search is being undertaken by the railway employees in their individual capacity and in co-operation with the National Salvation Association.—Central Press.



The late Mr. W. L. Pattenden, news of whose death in England has just come to hand.

### ANOTHER CEMENT CASE

#### HEAVY FINES ON CONTRACTOR

The case in which a contractor, Ip Sin Kee of 12, Western Street was summoned for selling Japanese cement under the trade name of the Green Island Cement Company, and of enclosing the cement in the Green Island Cement bags, was concluded before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

His Worship found the defendant guilty on both counts and fined him \$100 on each summons, besides ordering him to pay the costs for the prosecution—\$150.

Mr. O. E. C. Marton appeared for the Green Island Cement Company and the accused was represented by Mr. Horace Lo.

The defendant denied having sold any cement under the false trade name of Green Island Cement Company and that the reason why he put the cement into the Green Island Cement bags was because the bags to which the cement belonged had been torn.

## CLAIM AGAINST FRENCH SHIP

### JUDGMENT FOR LOCAL FIRM

Another claim against the French vessel, Gr. Gal. Maurice Long II, which was sold recently to meet liabilities, was upheld at the Supreme Court this morning by the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp).

The action was brought by A. Dai, otherwise known as the Sul Lee firm, of 29, Hing Lung Street, and was for \$384.76, for necessities supplied.

Mr. R. C. Lim, instructed by Mr. Cho Yue-kwan, solicitor, appeared for the plaintiffs, and stated that the total value of necessities supplied was \$1,084.76, but on the 1st of June \$200 was paid on account, leaving the balance of \$384.76 which was the subject of the claim.

Mr. Au Yu-pui, manager of the plaintiff firm, gave evidence.

### WATCH ON "RED" LITERATURE

#### CANTON COMMITTEE MEETS

Canton, Nov. 8.

The Censorship Committee held its first meeting yesterday at the office of the South-West Executive and was attended by representatives from the South-West Executive Committee, Bureau of Public Safety, City Kuomintang Provincial Kuomintang and the Bureau of Social Affairs.

The meeting dealt with internal organisation in order to facilitate censorship of books and periodicals, whether in Chinese or foreign language, found in Canton.

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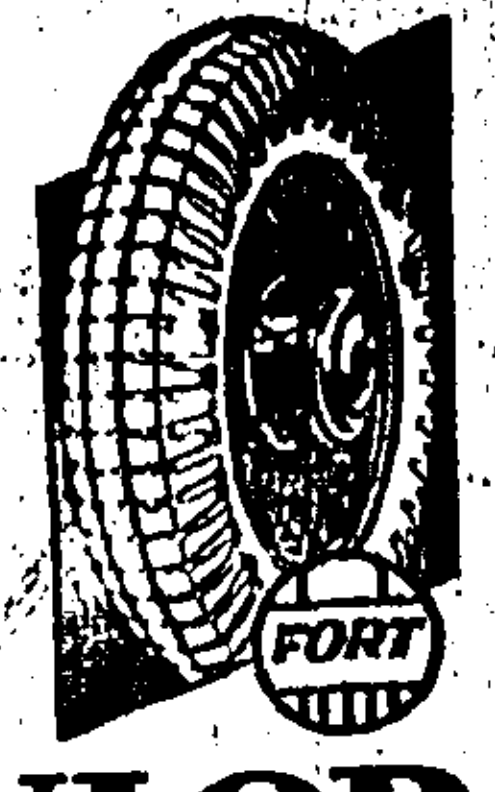
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### EARLY FEAR OF DISASTER

### LONG SILENCE BROKEN

London, Nov. 9.  
There is grave reason to fear that the Blue Funnel liner, Phemius, bound for Hongkong from New York, has been lost with all hands.  
Latest messages received at Liverpool from Colon, Panama, state that the vessel seems to have disappeared without trace.  
Three United States naval vessels and submarines are engaged in a search for the missing ship, which first sent out S.O.S. signals on Sunday. She was then in the thick of a hurricane, some 150 miles off the coast of Nicaragua.  
**COMPLETELY HELPLESS.**  
The master of the Phemius, Captain D. C. L. Evans, in sending out his first distress signals, announced that his funnel had been carried clean away, that the vessel was badly damaged in the rough weather and that four holds were filling.  
Messages continued to come through for some time indicating that the plight of the vessel was growing more and more terrible. First her propeller was broken and then her steering gear was disabled.  
**IN HEAVY WEATHER.**  
The last message received stated that the vessel was drifting helplessly in heavy weather some 250 miles to the north of Colon.  
The Phemius was carrying a crew of 76, including sixteen British officers and others, and sixty Chinese.  
The British freighter Ariguaná immediately raced to the position given by the Phemius in her early S.O.S. calls, but no trace was found.—*Reuter.*  
**Colon, Later.**  
The Blue Funnel liner Phemius is still afloat. Apparently her wireless was put out of action during the later stages of the hurricane, which swept her for miles from the position which she first gave.  
The Phemius has now restored wireless communication and reports that she is off the coast of Nicaragua. The British s.s. Killerig is now hastening to her assistance.—*Reuter.*

### NINE STEAMERS SEIZED

### TROOP TRANSPORT IN WAR ON REDS

Shanghai, Nov. 9.  
According to the North China Daily News, the National Government has commandeered nine ships in order to transport troops to Amoy to participate in the campaign against the Communists.  
The ships commandeered, include vessels belonging to the San Poh Company and the China Merchants S. N. Company.—*Reuter.*

### ROOSEVELT STATES

Some of the States which are voting for Roosevelt are given below together with the number of their electoral college votes and their past allegiances in four elections:

- Alabama 11 (Dem. 1916-28)
- Florida 7 (Dem. 1916-24; Rep. 1928)
- Oklahoma 11 (Dem. 1916 & 24; Rep. 1920 and '28)
- Georgia 12 (Dem. 1916-28)
- Texas 23 (Dem. 1916-24; Rep. 1928)
- New York 47 (Rep. 1916-28)
- Kansas 9 (Rep. 1920-28; Dem. 1916)
- Missouri 15 (Rep. 1920-28; Dem. 1916)
- Tennessee 11 (Rep. 1920-28; Dem. 1916)
- Maryland 8 (Rep. 1920-28; Dem. 1916)
- Nebraska 7 (Rep. 1920-28; Dem. 1916)
- Virginia 11 (Dem. 1916-28)
- Arkansas 9 (Dem. 1916-28)
- Mass. 17 (Rep. 1916-24; Dem. 1928)
- Louisiana 10 (Dem. 1916-28)
- S. Carolina 8 (Dem. 1916-28)
- Mississippi 9 (Dem. 1916-28)
- N. Carolina 13 (Dem. 1916-24; Rep. 1928)
- Kentucky 11 (Dem. 1916-20; Rep. 1924-28)

### PETROL FROM COAL

### POSSIBILITY IN SIGHT

### AS COMMERCIAL PROPOSITION

(Our Own Correspondent).

London, Nov. 8.  
Interest in the commercial possibilities of extracting petrol from coal has been revived by a statement in the House of Commons by the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald.  
In answer to a question, the Premier said that the Government was hastening research in the processes for extracting petrol from coal in view of their rapidly advancing economic possibilities. The ability to produce petrol in England at a price competitive with natural oils would prove the saviour of the British coal industry and would provide a general stimulus.  
**GREAT SUCCESS.**  
The Director of the Imperial Chemical Industries, Limited, informed *Reuter* later that his company's experiments had met with great success.  
It is explained that the present steady rise in the price of imported petrol would already enable petrol extracted by the new process to successfully compete in the home market.

### ANGLO-SWEDISH TRADE

### ADVANCE DELEGATES IN LONDON

London, Nov. 8.  
The Swedish Minister, Baron Palmstjerna, to-day introduced to the President of the Board of Trade (Mr. Runciman) Messrs. Sahlman, Sahlin and Allard, members of the Swedish delegation who have arrived in London in advance of the full delegation for preliminary discussions on Anglo-Swedish commercial relations.  
A statement has been issued showing that the Swedish and British points of view were exchanged and are being examined.—*British Wireless.*

## FINAL VOTING NOT NECESSARY

## RESULT DECIDED EARLY IN ELECTION

## NEW YORK SWITCH

NEW YORK, NOV. 8.  
THE REPUBLICANS HAVE GIVEN UP HOPE OF SNATCHING VICTORY IN THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION FROM MR. FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT. THE ELECTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE IS CONCEDED BY THE REPUBLICAN ASSISTANT EASTERN CAMPAIGN MANAGER AND BY THE NEW YORK HERALD-TRIBUNE, A LEADING REPUBLICAN JOURNAL.

If the trend of the present complete returns continues Mr. Franklin Roosevelt should secure 303 electoral college votes and President Hoover 114. Two hundred and sixty-six votes are sufficient for election. The States from which no returns were available at ten o'clock last night have 114 electoral college votes, insufficient to turn the scale if all went to Hoover, which is almost impossible.

MR. ROOSEVELT HAS BEEN ELECTED. THE FINAL RETURNS ARE NOT BY ANY MEANS COMPLETE, BUT PRESIDENT HOOVER HIMSELF HAS CONCEDED DEFEAT.—*Reuter.*

## THE POSITION HOUR BY HOUR

New York, Nov. 8.  
Unofficial and fragmentary returns show that Mr. Franklin Roosevelt is leading in seven States having ninety-three electoral votes, while President Hoover is leading in three States having twenty electoral votes. The candidates are running neck and neck in Massachusetts which has 17 votes and Pennsylvania which has 36.

### ROOSEVELT WELL OFF MARK

6.30 p.m.  
Mr. Roosevelt is leading in Alabama (11 electoral votes), Florida (7), Georgia (12), Oklahoma (11), Texas (23), Missouri (16), Maryland (8) Tennessee (11) Nebraska (7), and South Carolina (8).  
The candidates are running neck and neck, with no clear indication whatsoever, in Kansas (9 electoral votes), Massachusetts (17 votes), Pennsylvania (36) and Colorado (6).  
President Hoover is leading in New Hampshire (4 electoral votes) and Rhode Island (4).  
In the States hitherto for Roosevelt, the electoral votes total 113. In those for Hoover, there are only eight votes. And in those in which the candidates are running neck and neck account for 68 electoral college votes.

### NEW YORK NOW.

He is also leading by a wide margin in New York State which carries 47 electoral college votes, thanks to the heavy Democratic majorities in New York City.  
President Hoover leads in Vermont, with 3 electoral college votes, South Dakota, with 4, Connecticut with eight, New Hampshire with 4, and Rhode Island with four. The gross total of the electoral votes in the States in which President Hoover leads is only 23.

### NEW YORK LEAD.

8.45 p.m.  
With New York in Roosevelt's favour and a commanding lead in the South, the election seems to have been already decided.  
Pending the results from the Middle West and West, it is too early to say that Mr. Franklin Roosevelt has won.  
(Continued on Page 5.)



President-Elect Franklin D. Roosevelt.

### HOOVER STATES

States remaining loyal to President Hoover, together with votes and past allegiances, include:—  
N. Hampshire 4 (Rep. 1920-28)  
R. Island 4 (Rep. 1916-28)  
Vermont 3 (Rep. 1916-28)  
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Pennsylvania 36 (Rep. 1916-28)  
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## VON PAPEN TO STAY

## DETERMINED TO CARRY ON

## DELIVERS A NEW ULTIMATUM

(Our Own Correspondent).

Berlin, Nov. 8.  
Herr von Papen to-day made his first public pronouncement since the election, this being at a luncheon given to foreign journalists.  
He said the objects of the Government, as recently explained, would be carried through without change.  
Economic and political order cannot prevail in Europe, von Papen said, until the German people were guaranteed peaceful and secure development.  
The Chancellor appealed to other nations to help, because neither by trickery nor by threat would Germany consider herself bound for over by the stipulations forced on her by her victors.

## DE VALERA'S CHALLENGE

## WARNING TO I.R.A. SENSATION

Dublin, Nov. 9.  
A sensation has been caused in political circles by a speech by Mr. de Valera at the Fianna Fail Convention where he warned the Irish Republican Army and other organizations that anyone found in the possession of arms would be proceeded against with the full vigour of the law.  
This is regarded as a direct challenge to the Irish Republican Army.—*Reuter.*  
The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone is centred over South Japan, and has weakened. The typhoon is situated about 500 miles S.E. of Manila, moving N.W. Local forecast:—N.E. winds, moderate; fair.

## LEAPS FOR LIFE

## THRILLING FIRE SCENES

## NINE INJURED

## SERIOUS KOWLOON OUTBREAK

Thrilling scenes were witnessed in the early hours of this morning when a fire broke out in a block of three four-storeyed buildings situated at 970-974, Canton Road, Kowloon, resulting in injuries to nine inmates in jumping from upper floors into the street below.  
Five of the injured people were sent to the Kowloon Hospital, and the others to the Kwong Wah Hospital.  
Three are in a serious condition and may not recover. All jumped from the blazing building before the arrival of the Fire Brigade.

The block which was practically gutted, comprised the usual shop and tenement type. A bamboo-ware shop occupied the ground floor of No. 972, and it is believed that the fire, which started in this shop, had its source in a heap of bamboo shavings underneath a staircase connecting two houses. The theory is that these shavings were set alight by a carelessly-thrown cigarette-end.

### BURNT OUT.

The whole fire-fighting resources of the mainland were brought to bear on the fire soon after the alarm was given at two o'clock in the morning. The task Brigade concentrated on the task (Continued on Page 5.)

## SHANGHAI NORTH STATION

## REBUILDING PLAN SET-BACK

Shanghai, Nov. 9.  
The China Press states that a stumbling block in the plans to rebuild the North Station—destroyed in the recent Sino-Japanese hostilities—is threatened by a request by the China-British Corporation, who are creditors of the Shanghai-Nanking Railway, to the Ministry of Railways for payment of outstanding debts totalling \$12,800,000.  
The Ministry of Railways intended to devote \$10,000,000 to the construction of the new station, the site of which had already been chosen at Chenju.—*Reuter.*

## FENG CALLS TO NATION

## DEMOCRACY AND UNITY

## ISSUES REMARKABLE MANIFESTO

(Special to "Telegraph").

Peking, Nov. 9.  
Marshal Feng Yu-shiang has followed up his recent telegrams to Mr. Lo Wen-kan, the Nan-king Foreign Minister, with a notable four-thousand-word message to the Nation.  
The "Christian" General, who before has indicated the possession of constructive ideas, urges, among other things, the establishment of a really united government, the introduction of democracy, and the undertaking of constructive enterprises for the improvement of communications etc.  
Further factional warfare, he says, will only hasten the extinction of China.

### FREEDOM AND EQUALITY.

If China wants freedom, and equality among nations she must, Feng declares, reorganise her anti-imperialist front on the one hand and enforce her revolutionary diplomacy on the other.  
Feng also suggests the erection of a high tariff wall within which would be employed the national capital for the development of production and the elevation of the general standard of living among the people.  
Only in this way, he concludes, can China escape dismemberment and international control.—*Reuter.*

## IRISH GOVERNOR GENERAL

## APPOINTMENT PART OF TREATY

London, Nov. 8.  
Questioned in the House of Commons as to the appointment of the Governor General of the Irish Free State the Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, said whilst he had no statement to make at the moment, the House was aware that provision for the appointment of the Governor General was made in the Anglo-Irish Treaty and was, indeed, an integral part of it.—*British Wireless.*

## QUEEN ELIZABETH RETURNS

## WARSHIP HOME FROM MEDITERRANEAN

London, Nov. 8.  
The battleship Queen Elizabeth reached Plymouth to-day after two and a half years' commission in the Mediterranean, during which she has steamed over 30,000 miles.  
She was flying the flag of Admiral Sir Ernle Chatfield, who will succeed Admiral Sir Frederick Field at the Admiralty as First Sea Lord.—*British Wireless.*

## DOCK EXTENSION

## BIG PROJECT AT SOUTHAMPTON

London, Nov. 8.  
The Duke and Duchess of York, who visited Southampton to-day to open new civil buildings, also made an extensive tour of the docks extension and the new graving dock which form a development scheme costing over \$10,000,000.—*British Wireless.*  
A wharf cooler's claim to leniency, when charged on remand before Mr. Schofield this morning with the possession of about a ton of contraband, was that he previously had not a single black mark against a record of 24 years' residence in the Colony, and he worked throughout the Great Strike. His worthy accepted the plea, and merely bound the defendant over in a sum of \$50.



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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

As soon as the opening lead is made, a good declarer will count up his sure tricks and will then consider the best means of establishing the number of probable or doubtful tricks required to make his contract.

Sometimes it is necessary to sacrifice a sure trick to assist in the development of the hand. This play is quite similar to the gambit in chess, where a pawn or piece is sacrificed to obtain advantages of position.

In the following hand, the declarer conceded a diamond trick to the opponents unnecessarily but they were obliged to pay dearly for it in the end.

♠ 6-5	♠ 8-3-2
♥ 6-5-3-2	♥ J-10-9-8
♦ A-Q-9-8	♦ 7-6-4
♣ 7-3-2	♣ K-9-6
♠ A-Q	♠ 10-9-7
♥ K-7	♥ 10-9-8
♦ 10-5-3-2	♦ 7-6-4
♣ 10-5	♣ K-9-6
♠ K-J-4	♠ 10-9-7
♥ A-Q-4	♥ 10-9-8
♦ K-J	♦ 7-6-4
♣ A-Q-J-8-4	♣ K-9-6

The Bidding.

South opened with one no trump. Most good players now prefer that declaration even when holding a good five-card minor suit, providing the hand is well above average strength and has all four suits stopped.

West was warned by the original no trump, which he knew to be strong, and therefore passed. North bid two no trump, avoiding a bid of two diamonds, for that would indicate definite weakness and would show no desire to play for game. South closed the bidding with three no trump.

The Play.

West's correct opening lead was the ten of spades, which declarer won in his own hand with the Jack. He could now count, with reasonable certainty, three diamond tricks, four club tricks, one spade and at least one heart, providing East was never in the lead.

However, if that player were ever in, he would surely lead a spade through South's king, and the contract would be defeated. The declarer's first object must be to establish the club suit, and if East should hold the king (twice guarded), two finesse would be necessary. Accordingly the Jack of diamonds was led and overtaken by the queen in dummy.

A small club was returned and the finesse taken. This could be done with safety, for even though West held the king of clubs, a spade lead from that side could do little damage.

When the finesse held, South led the king of diamonds, again overtaking in dummy, and by taking a second finesse, ran off his four remaining clubs. West was obliged to discard two spades and a diamond.

South's next lead was the king of spades, which West won with the ace and cashed the queen of that suit.

After laying down the ten of diamonds, which had been so graciously established for him, he was obliged to lead into South's heart tenace, and the declarer made four no trump.

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## ELECTION EVE

ALL AMERICA AWAITS  
RESULTS

New York, Nov. 8.  
All America will stay up until dawn to-morrow to await the result of the elections. The usual 2 a.m. curfew will not be rung in dance halls and cabarets, as the hour has been extended to 5 a.m.

A survey of the foreign language periodicals throughout the United States reveals that the sympathies of the major foreign elements are equally divided but of the smaller communities, the Czech-Slavs favour Roosevelt, and the Swedes, Norwegians and Finns are followers of Mr. Hoover.

An immediate audience of miners and shepherds heard Mr. Hoover's final broadcast appeal from Elko, Nevada, following the broadcast from Mr. Calvin Coolidge, former President, who declared that if five Americans were selected to devise remedies for the present conditions, Mr. Hoover would head the list, and that if 10 international figures were chosen for the same reason, Mr. Hoover would be among them.

Mr. Roosevelt made his election-eve speech at the Knights of Columbus Hall, New York, where he has spoken on election eve for many years. He promised the electors that if successful he would "with humility seek to mend the fabric of our common life."

When the polls opened this morning, good election weather was reported in most districts, conditions being cloudy in the east and with sunshine in a great part of the west, there was nothing to prevent the farmers from going to the polls.

—Reuter.

Cannot Vote.

New York, Nov. 8.  
Mr. Norman Thomas, the Socialist candidate for the presidency, has been so busy electioneering that he forgot to register and consequently he will be unable to vote.—Reuter.

VON PAPEN SATISFIED.

WILLING TO WELCOME PARTY  
CO-OPERATION

London, Nov. 8.  
The Von Papen Government is "perfectly satisfied" with the outcome of the elections and announces that there is no need for deviation from its present policy, according to a Berlin message.

It is ready to welcome with open arms any party who will co-operate with it.

Probably the new Reichstag will be summoned on December 6. The intervening time will be spent in negotiations between the various parties.

The next few weeks are likely to be quiet, as a political truce has been called. All political meetings and demonstrations have been prohibited.—Our Own Correspondent.

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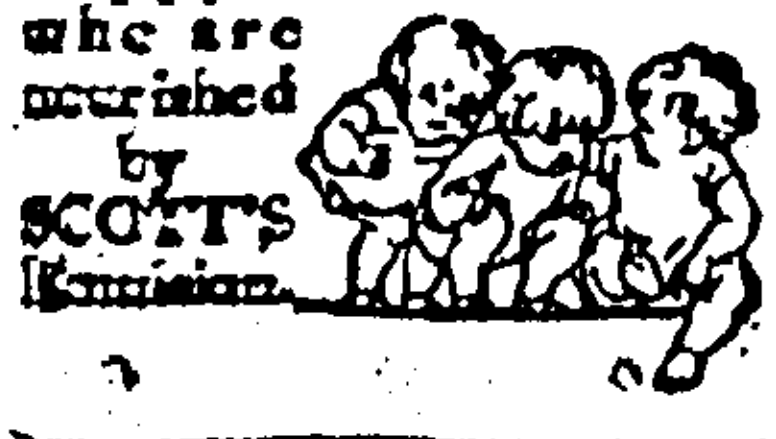
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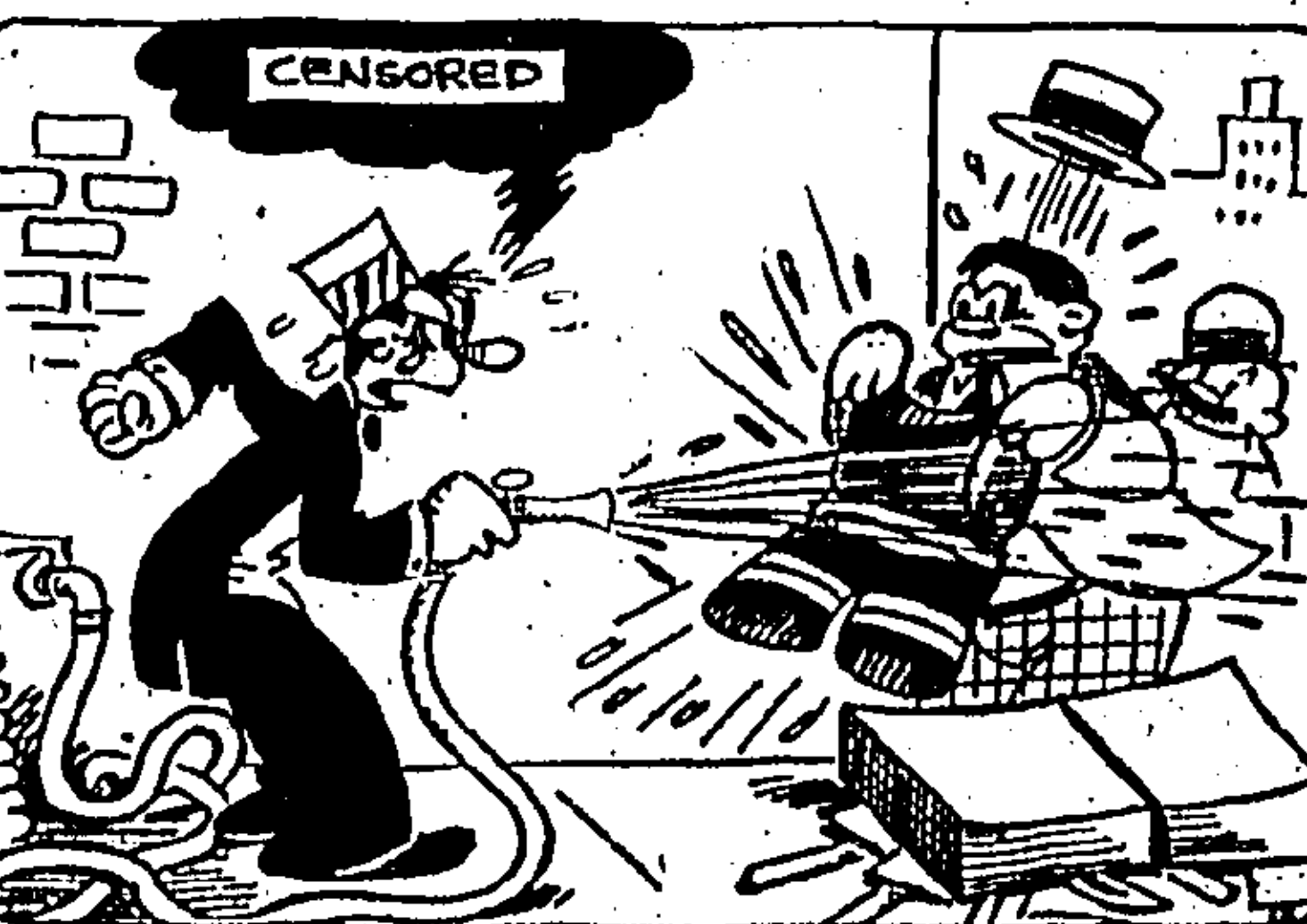
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# CALL of the WEST

By R. G. MONTGOMERY

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

Stan Ball accused Asper Delo, timber king of crooked practice and of having men shot who try to check up on his activities. Ball says he is making a check for cattle in Nevada. Delo says he will prevent it in person. Upon leaving Delo's office Ball saves Delo's daughter, from kidnapping. Learning her name, he tells her he is Stanley Black and slips away.

Dudley Winters loves Delo. He agrees to make Asper give up the wild idea of going to Three Rivers and running Ball off the company property. Delo goes with him. They find a manhunt in progress with Ball as the objective. Asper is badly wounded from ambush but cannot be kept in bed. Dudley produces a marriage certificate that they had been prevented from using by Delo's being unfaithful of herself. They tell Asper they are married. Ball overhears this announcement, while in for food. He is caught by Swergin, Asper's timber boss, who has been a leading figure in the hunt.

## CHAPTER XVII

Stanley Ball laughed shortly. Here was a fitting finish indeed for the whole mad undertaking. Ball was determined that the big timber boss would have to shoot him down to hold him. There was to be no capture and no show to be staged after the moon came up.

Swergin leaned forward and jerked Stan's gun from its holster. He went over the little form of the cowboy with a heavy hand, satisfying himself that there was no other weapon concealed on him, then he snarled, "Walk straight ahead and keep out of the light from the buildings!"

Stan realized that he was going to be made a prisoner and left to swelter while Swergin got his mob together. He decided to test the big fellow behind him.

"You are an officer of the law, Swergin. I demand a safe place and a guarantee that there will be no mob action." Stan bit off the words shortly.

They had the effect he had expected. "There ain't no law agin reportin' this catch," Swergin growled.

Stan understood what that meant. Swergin would be in the background and his men would do the actual lynching. It would save a lot of trouble and expense.

They crossed to a dark cabin without windows and Swergin relaxed his vigilance enough to kick open the door. "Get in there!" he snapped.

Stan stepped into the inky black-

ness and as he entered he slid to one side. Swergin, with typical thickheadedness, pushed in after him. Like a flash Stan struck out and, as he did so, raised one booted foot in a desperate kick. His aim was as true as it could have been in daylight. Swergin's gun went clattering to the floor. Stan leaped across the doorway and flattened himself. He heard a muttered curse as the big boss tried to get his other gun clear.

With eager fingers Stan sought on the floor for Swergin's gun. He found it and leaped up to shove the heavy revolver into his captor's face. So rapidly did it all happen that Swergin was covered before he could get Stan's gun from the blazer pocket where he had shoved it. As he felt the cold steel of his own weapon shoved into his throat he cursed loudly.

"Shut up or I'll drill you!" Stan snapped.

Swergin was instantly silent. "I'd kill you, Swergin, but the report of your gun would wake the camp." Stan had recovered his own gun by this time. As he felt for it his fingers closed upon a square of cardboard in the boss's pocket. He took this, too, and backed out through the door. "Stay in there!" he hissed.

Swergin stayed while Stan barred the door with a heavy plank. Hastily then he cut across the clearing to where he had cached the supplies. He must have food to live upon and now he was sure Swergin would tighten the pack around his little area of safety.

The moon was just showing over the shoulder of Folly Mountain. The buildings of the timber camp were still in darkness but the clearing was crossed by a band of silver light. Stan hurried because he knew that in half an hour riding would be almost as dangerous as in daylight.

He caught up the burlap sack of supplies and headed toward the black mare. The night was still, with a chill silence that comes to the high country from its crowns of snow above the valleys.

The black mare nickered softly as Stan approached. He slid

through the thick brush and patted her sleek neck. Not 10 feet down the slope a white patch of moonlight was creeping upward. Fastening the sack securely behind the saddle, Stan prepared to mount. His hand rested a second on one pocket of his jumper and he felt the cardboard he had taken from Swergin. Pulling it out he stepped into the moonlight and looked at it curiously.

A beautiful face smiled up at him, face of Dona Asper. Her hair framed her face softly and she wore a filmy evening gown that clung against the soft whiteness of her throat. Stan stared at the picture for a full minute, then his eyes hardened. Swergin must have been in Dona's room. That was how he had come to catch Stan.

Sinking down on one knee, the man stared at the picture he held. The white band of moonlight had moved up the mountainside. It covered Stan's head and shoulders with a silver radiance. Stan was so wrapped in his thoughts that he failed to see a light flare down in the cabin in which he had locked Swergin. The big timber boss had been able to open the door and was outside now with a grass torch looking for his gun.

The main building was a short 50 feet from where Stan was sitting. All at once he roused himself. Distinctly through the night he heard a sob. Stan looked about but could not pierce the blue of the shadows. Then he saw Swergin's torch backed into the deeper shade and listened. The sobs were plainly those of a woman. Low, choking sobs, as though the person weeping was trying to keep them back but could not.

Stan edged along under cover until he was nearer the sounds. He heard Swergin shouting down at the corrals and a minute later several voices answered. There was an interval of silence in which Stan strained his ears but failed to hear the sobs that had drawn him away from his horse. He was about to turn and run to his mount when he saw a slender figure pass Asper Delo's lighted window. The girl vanished instantly in the direction of the front porch but in the fleet-

ing glance Stan was sure it was Dona who was returning from the little group of spruce trees shading the north wall.

Down at the corrals there was commotion. Sleepy voices shouted and saddles scraped along the ground. One rider dashed into the moonlight not 100 feet above Stan. With an easy swing the tall cowboy was in the saddle and heading the black mare back into the timber. He was not thinking about the danger ahead of him in the moon-drenched patches of timber or along red walls of stone, lighted almost brilliantly; he was wondering about the broken sobs he had heard from among the spruces.

Nevertheless he put the black mare to a gallop and headed up the mountain. He had to drop well down on the Pass Creek side in order to cross a rocky formation that would hide his tracks. Then there was a stream to follow as a further blind. To be caught at any one of these open places would mean instant death from a rifle. Already Stan could hear the pounding of hoofs below and above him. Swergin had sent his fastest riders deep into the hills to head out the cowboy. A swarm of lesser riders would bring up the rear. Touching the mare's flank with a spur, Stan gave her her head. There was little at stake, yet he had suddenly taken new interest in living.

The scene at the corrals was feverish. Dona ran up the steps to take her place beside Dudley who had not joined the hunt. She had removed all traces of her tears of a few minutes before and was now eagerly watching the scene below. "I'd like to go with them but I'm not going to," Dudley whispered as he slipped an arm around her.

Dona did not reply but she moved closer to him as though to shield herself from something that might

come from the chill night.

The last horseman galloped out of camp with thundering hoofs and sound of shouting came from up the mountain. Shots rang out from the direction of Pass Creek. A fusillade followed from far above. Then all was still. The moon had cleared the highest crag on Folly Mountain and the entire slope lay in shimmering, silver beauty. Dona sank to the porch and propped her chin in her hands. So much of beauty yet such terrible things taking place. She strove to understand it all, but more to understand herself.

"Let's stay here. It's so beautiful," she murmured.

"Not for long, dear," Dudley pulled his coat over her shoulders.

Dona did not answer. She was deep in wonder at the queer tightness in her heart. She was in a panic now that she was committed to marrying Dudley and she could not find a single valid reason why she should feel this way.

"Better be going in now," Dudley said, and got to his feet.

Still Dona hesitated. She looked up, trying to smile. "Just a minute more!" she begged. "The moon hasn't reached that patch of timber under Folly Peak."

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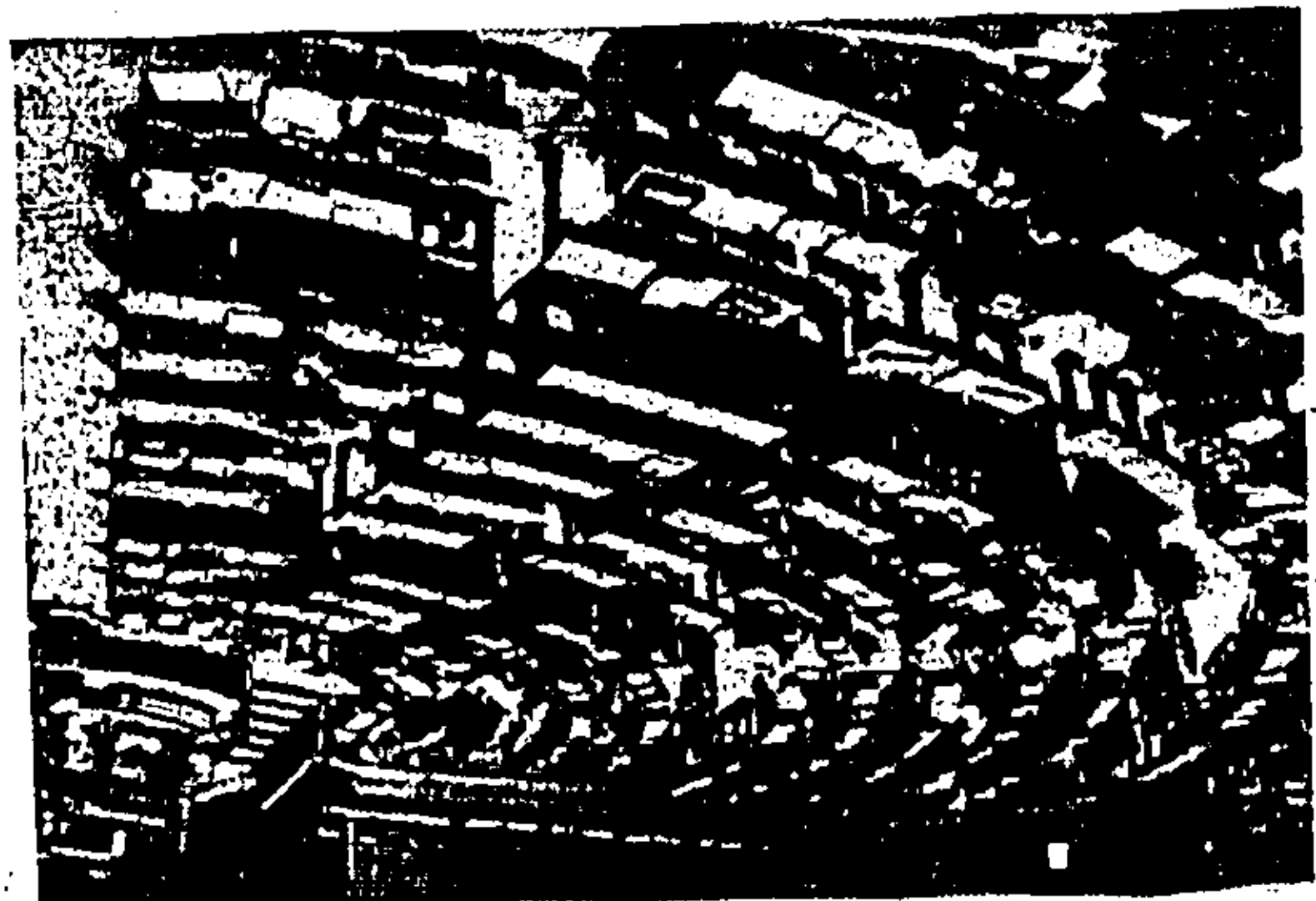
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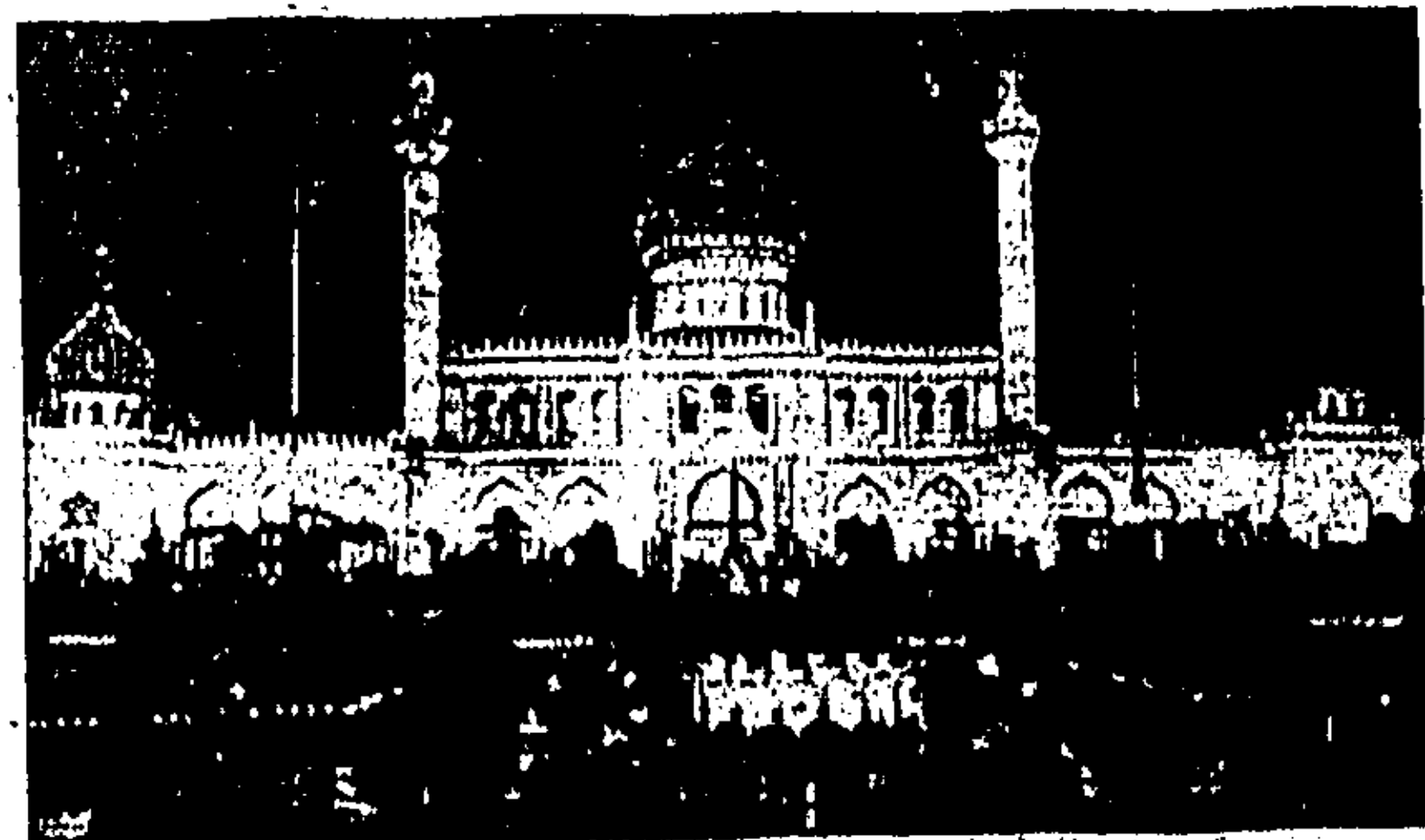
Detailed measures have not yet been disclosed.—Reuter.



Mr. Ariyoshi, the new Japanese Minister, pictured on his return to Shanghai after a visit to Peking. He called upon Marshal Chang Hsueh liang in the course of the performance of his official duties there. Mrs. Ariyoshi is shown with the Minister.



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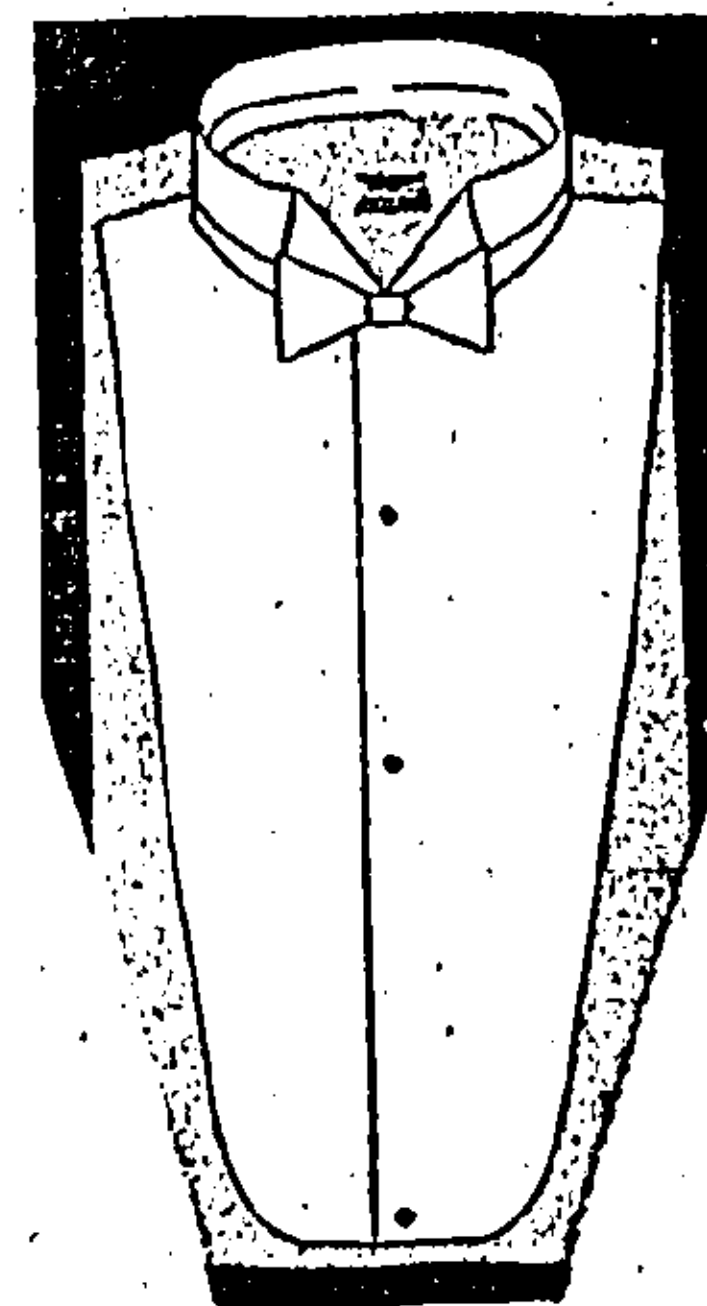
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## NOTICE

**Armistice Day,**  
 11th November, 1932.  
 Persons arriving by car to attend the Ceremony at the Cenotaph are requested to direct their drivers to proceed via Des Voeux Road, Central, to Statue Square, where the passengers will alight and walk to the Cenotaph.

E. D. C. WOLFE,  
 Inspector General of Police.  
 Hongkong, 8th November, 1932.

## BANK HOLIDAY.

In Accordance with Government Ordinance, the Exchange Banks will be closed for the Transaction of Public Business on Friday, 11th November, (Armistice Day).

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

## NOTICE

ON FRIDAY, 11th November, 1932, All Departments will be CLOSED.

The Hongkong Dispensary.

Dispensing Department, will be open for dispensing prescriptions from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.  
 Hongkong, 9th November, 1932.

## HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE.

It is hereby notified that pending the demolition and construction of our Main Building, No. 10, Ice House Street, the business of this Exchange will be conducted in Exchange Building, Des Voeux Road, Central.

By Order of the Committee  
 A. NISSIM,  
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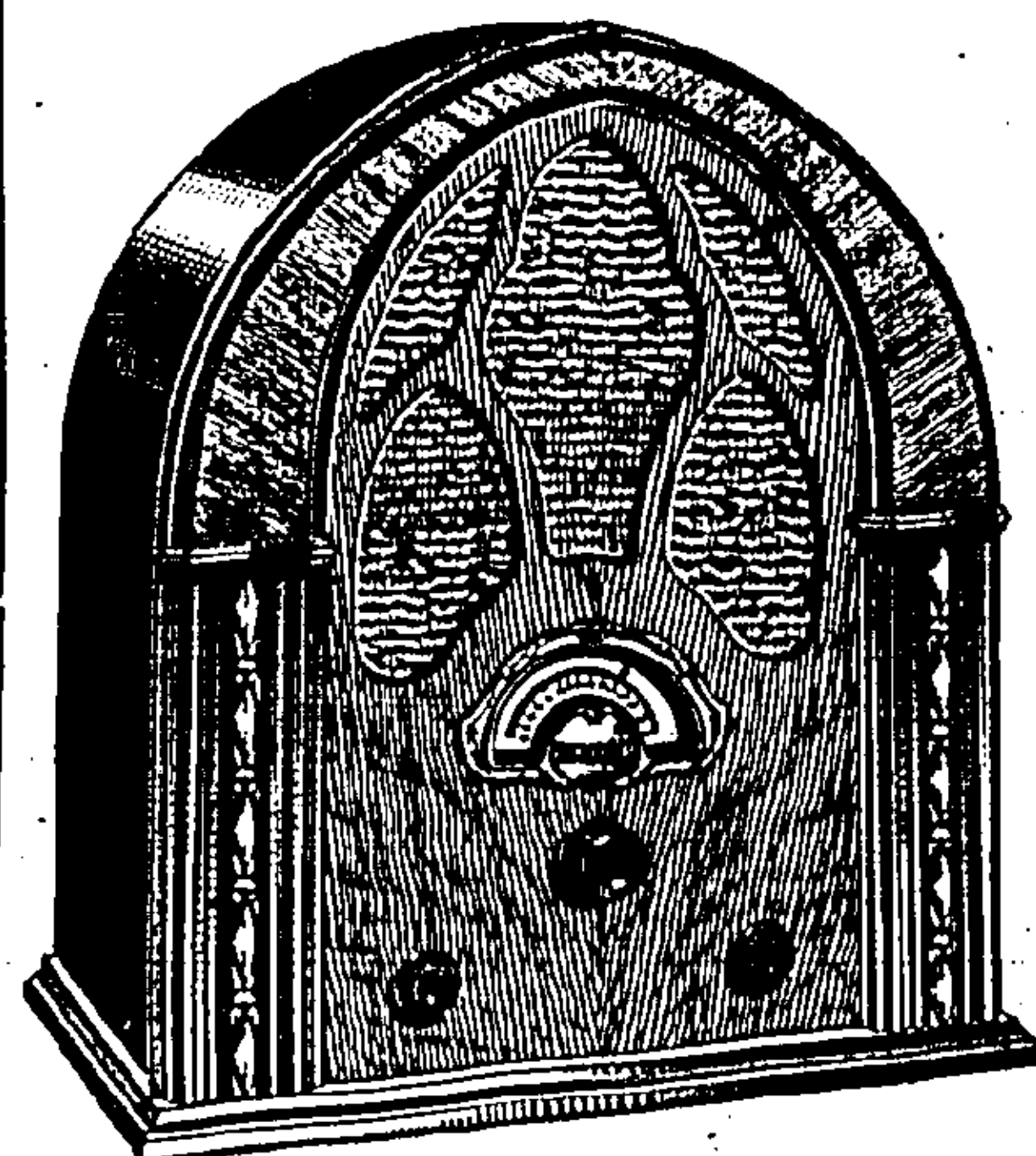
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Berlin	13.31/32	13.93 1/4
Helsingfors	230	230
Oslo	109 1/2	109 1/2
Athens	580	580
Milan	64.9/16	64 1/4
Buenos Aires	Nom.	Nom.
Shanghai	1/8.13/16	1/9.15/16
New York	3.29 1/2	3.30 1/2
Amsterdam	18.22 1/2	18.23
Vienna	28	28
Prague	111 1/2	111 1/2
Madrid	40.7/16	40.13/32
Bucharest	560	560
Hongkong	1/4.7/16	1/4 1/4
Brussels	23.81 1/2	23.80
Copenhagen	10.20	10.20
Stockholm	18.29/32	18.29/32
Lisbon	109	109 1/2
Rio	6 1/2	6 1/2
Bombay	1/8.11/64	1/8.11/64
Yokohama	1/2.13/16	1/2.15/16
Montevideo	3.81 1/2	3.80
Manila	24.2 1/2	24.2 1/2
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## GENERAL HOLIDAY.

On Friday, 11th November, the General Post Office will be open from 8 a.m. to noon, Kowloon Post Office 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. and the other Branch Post Offices 8 a.m. to 9 a.m.

There will be no collection from the pillar-boxes and no delivery of correspondence as on Sundays.

The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

## INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Manila	Sacramento	November 10.
Shanghai	Zuiderkerk	November 10.
Shanghai	Lion	November 10.
Japan and Shanghai	Tarukuni Maru	November 10.
Europe via Negapatam (Letters only) London, 18th October	Hong Kong	November 11.
Amoy	Banthea	November 11.
Manila	Pres. Madison	November 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Bangalore	November 11.
Japan	Ginjo Maru	November 11.
Australia and Manila	Taipei	November 11.
Europe via Negapatam (Papers only) London, 18th October	Katori Maru	November 12.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 22nd October)	Emp. of Canada	November 12.
London Parcels only, London, 9th October	Sarpedon	November 12.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 14th October)	Pres. Harrison	November 12.
Straits	Katori Maru	November 12.
Manila	Taipei Maru	November 12.
Japan	Taipei Maru	November 12.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 21st October)	Pres. McKinley	November 14.

## OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Shanghai	City of Lille	Wed., Nov. 9, 3.30 p.m.
Bangkok	Michael Jensen	Wed., Nov. 9, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Taipei	Wed., Nov. 9, 3.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Brindisi	Conte Verde	Wed., Nov. 9.
K. P. O.	(Due Brindisi, 1st December.)	G. P. O.
Reg.	Nov. 9, 3 p.m.	Reg., Nov. 9, 3.15 p.m.
Letters	Nov. 9, 3 p.m.	Letters, Nov. 9, 4 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Wed., Nov. 9, 4 p.m.
Formosa	Panama Maru	Wed., Nov. 9, 5 p.m.
Salgon	Halvard	Wed., Nov. 9, 5 p.m.
Shanghai	Mentor	Thurs., Nov. 10, 10.30 a.m.
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Chengtu	Thurs., Nov. 10, 10.30 a.m.
Salgon, Mauritius, Reunion and Tinslow	Thurs., Nov. 10, 1.30 p.m.	
*South Africa	Hydrangea	Thurs., Nov. 10, 3 p.m.
Swatow	Pong Tong	Thurs., Nov. 10, 3.30 p.m.
Salgon	Terukuni Maru	Fri., Nov. 11.
Australia (except places North of Brisbane) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane	(To connect with the s.s. "New Holland" at Singapore leaving Singapore on 18th November.)	
(Due Brisbane, 3rd December.)	Registration	10th 5 p.m.
Letters	11th 9 a.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Terukuni Maru	Fri., Nov. 11.
K. P. O.	(Due Marseilles, 7th December.)	G. P. O.
Registration	10th 4.30 p.m.	Registration, Nov. 11, 8.45 a.m.
Letters	11th 9 a.m.	Letters, Nov. 11, 9.50 a.m.
*Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C. and *Europe via Siberia	President Madison	Fri., Nov. 11.
Bangkok via Swatow	Mulnam	Fri., Nov. 11, Noon.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Chungkong	Fri., Nov. 11, Noon.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden	Hal Ning	Fri., Nov. 11, Noon.
Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Bangalore	Sat., Nov. 12.
K. P. O.	(Due Marseilles, 10th December.)	G. P. O.
Parcels	Nov. 11, 11 a.m.	Parcels, Nov. 11, Noon.
Reg.	Nov. 12, 9 a.m.	Reg., Nov. 12, 9.45 a.m.
Letters	Nov. 12, 10 a.m.	Letters, Nov. 12, 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Katori Maru	Sat., Nov. 12, 10.30 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Nov. 12, 2.30 p.m.
Manila	Empress of Canada	Sat., Nov. 12, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Anhui	Sat., Nov. 12, 5 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Harrison	Sat., Nov. 12, 5 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Santhia	Sat., Nov. 13.
Parcels	Nov. 12, 5 p.m.	
Letters	Nov. 13, 9 a.m.	
Swatow and Bangkok	Kaying	Sun., Nov. 13, 9 a.m.
*Shanghai, Japan, *Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, *C. and *S. America and *Europe via San Francisco	Taipei Maru	Tues., Nov. 16.
(Due San Francisco, 8th December.)	Registration	Nov. 14, 5 p.m.
Letters	Nov. 15, 8.30 a.m.	

\*Superscribed Correspondence only.

## SHARE PRICES

### TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.	Public Utilities.
Hongkong Bank, \$1665 n.	Tramway \$22.15 n.
Hongkong Lon. Reg. \$120 n.	Peak Tram (old), \$15.50 n.
Chartered Bank \$14 1/4	Star Ferries \$94 1/2
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$23 1/2 n.	Yaumati Ferries (old), \$35 n.
Mercantile Bank C., 29 1/2 n.	Yaumati Ferries (new), \$34.25 n.
East Asia, \$109 b.	China Lights (new), \$17.45 b.
Am. O. Finance Corp., \$28 n.	H.K. Electric, \$73 b.
China O. Fin. Ord., \$15.6 n.	Macao Electric, \$28 b.
China A. Fin. Pref. \$14.60 n.	Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.
Insurance.	Telephones (old), \$30 n.
Canton Ins., \$1300 n.	Telephones (new), \$23 b.
Union Ins., \$510 n.	China Buses, \$14.10 n.
China Underwriters, \$2.90 b.	Singapore Tract. Co., 2/- n.
China Fire, \$620 n.	Singapore Pref. 14/- n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$1180 n.	
International Assoc. \$14.15 n.	
Shipping.	
Douglases, \$26 n.	
H.K. Steamboats, \$23 1/2 n.	
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.) \$45 n.	
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$32 n.	
Shell (Bear), 60/7 1/2 n.	
Union Waterboats, \$21 b.	
Mining.	
Benguets, \$18 1/2 n.	
Kailans, 25/- s.	
Langkats (Single), \$14 n.	
S'hai Explorations, \$12.10 n.	
S'hai Loans, \$12.30 n.	
Venz: Goldfields, \$8.80 n.	
Benguet Exp., 21 cts. b.	
Docks, etc.	
H.K. Wharves, \$148 b.	
H.K. & Dock, \$20 1/2 n.	
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.	
S. China Motor B., \$8 n.	
Providents (old), \$4.80 b.	
Providents (new), \$2 b.	
Hongkong, \$12.20 n.	
New Engineering, \$14.40 n.	
Shanghai Docks, \$14.09 n.	
Lands, Hotels, etc.	
Hotels (old), \$11.60 n.	
Hotels (new), \$11.30 n.	
H.K. Lands, \$78 b.	
S'hai Lands, \$14.24 n.	
Metropolitan Lands, \$10 s.	
Humphreys, \$16 n.	
H.K. Realities, \$9.45 s.	

Asia Realities "A", \$140 n.  
Asia Realities "B", \$28 n.  
Chinese Estates, \$100 n.  
China Realities, Tls. 11.40 n.  
China Debentures Tls. 96½ n.  
Cottons.  
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.80 b.  
S'hai Cottons, Tls. 71½ b.  
Zoong Sings, Tls. 11.15 b.  
Wing On Textiles (S.), 145 n.  
Public Utilities.  
Tramway \$22.15 n.  
Peak Trams (old), \$15.50 n.  
Star Ferries \$94½ n.  
Yaumati Ferries (old), \$35 n.  
Yaumati Ferries (new), \$34.25 n.  
China Lights (new), \$17.45 b.  
H.K. Electric, \$73 b.  
Macao Electric \$28 b.  
Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.  
Telephones (old), \$30 n.  
Telephones (new), \$23 b.  
China Buses, Tls.10 n.  
Singapore Tracti. n., 2/- n.  
Singapore Pref. 14/- n.  
Industrials.  
Malabon Sugars \$27½ n.  
Cold: Macg. (Ord.), Tls.14 n.  
Cold: Macg. (Pref.), Tls.10½  
Canton Ices, \$8 n.  
Cements (Com.), \$18.80 s.  
Cements (old), \$11.50 b.  
Cements (new), \$2.30 n.  
H.K. Ropes, \$12½ n.  
Agriculturals, \$10 s.  
Stores, etc.  
Dairy Farms, \$28.60 b.  
Watsons (old), \$12.75 n.  
Watsons (new), \$11.40 b.  
Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.  
Sinceres \$15.50 n.  
Lane Crawford, \$5.60 n.  
Mackintosh, \$21 n.  
Wm. Powells, \$5.35 n.  
Wing On (H.K.), \$235 b.  
Miscellaneous.  
Amusements \$10.50 n.  
Entertainments, \$12.50 b.  
S. C. Enterprises, \$3½ b.  
United Theatres Tls. 5.25 b.  
Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.  
Construction (old), \$6.20 n.  
Construction (new), \$1.40 b.  
B. Ind. G. & Bonds, 69½ n.  
Wallace Harpers, \$11 n.  
China Sports, \$10 n.  
H.K. Govt. Loans, 2% prem.





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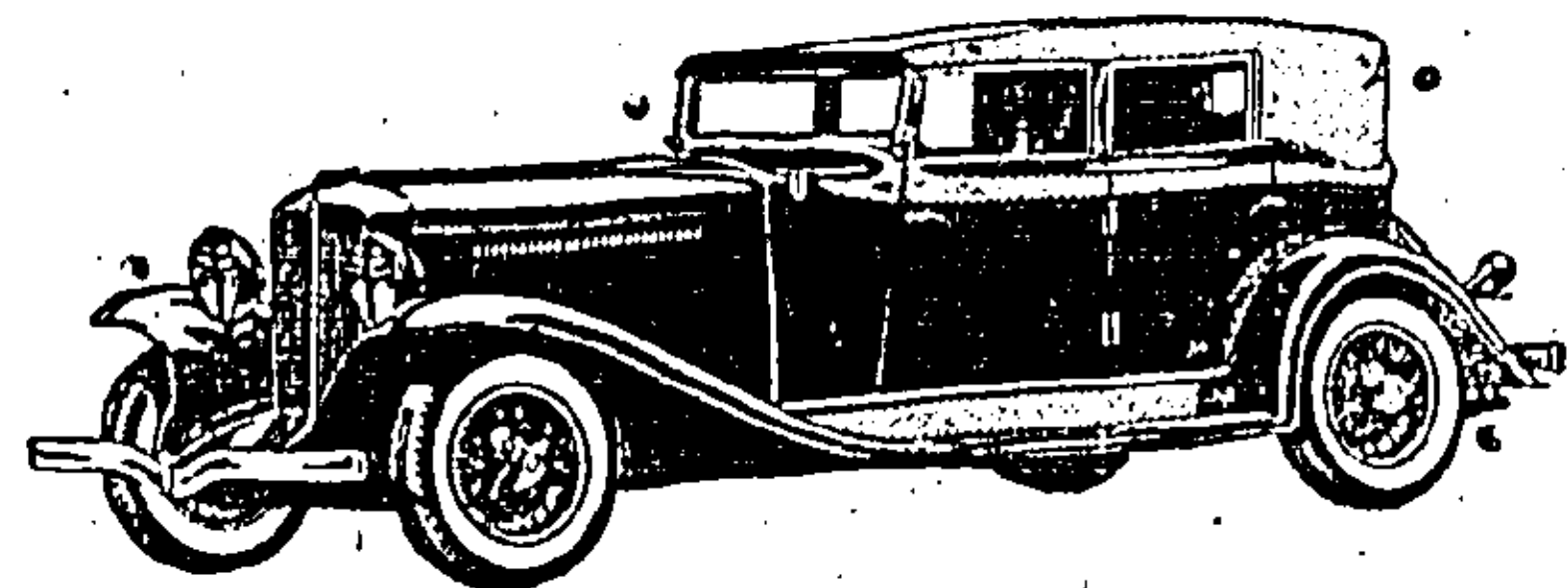
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### DEATH OF MR. W. L. PATTENDEN

#### PASSES AWAY IN ENGLAND

Many residents heard to-day with deep regret of the death in England of Mr. W. L. Pattenden, former General Manager of Messrs. W. R. Loxley and Co., who left the Colony on retirement in March, 1930, after residence of over thirty years.

On going home, he settled down at Godalming, and it is presumed that he passed away there, although no details beyond a brief cable message have so far been received.

The late Mr. Pattenden joined Messrs. Allen Bros., East India merchants, of London in 1888, and left them to come to the Far East at the end of 1890, arriving in Hongkong on February 3rd, 1900, as an assistant to Messrs. Gilman and Company, of which he became a partner in 1911.

In 1919, he severed his connection with Messrs. Gilman, shortly after the business changed hands, and joined Messrs. W. R. Loxley and Co., as General Manager. That position he held until his retirement in 1930.

During his residence in the Colony, Mr. Pattenden served as a Director of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., and Humphreys Estate and Finance Co., Ltd., his wide experience in business matters being of much value to these concerns.

Mr. Pattenden will long be remembered for his keen interest in the Church life of the Colony. He was a member of the Committee of the Diocesan Boys' School since 1911, a member of the Council of St. Stephen's College for some years, Hon. Secretary of St. John's Cathedral Church Body, a member of the Board of the European Y.M.C.A., Chairman of the Naval and Military Y.M.C.A. (Cheong's Branch), and a member of the Court of the University of Hongkong.

He was an Unofficial Justice of the Peace, and for some years a member of the Licensing Board. In all his manifold activities, Mr. Pattenden worked in a quiet and unobtrusive manner and revealed sterling qualities in all his work. He will be long remembered in the Colony by a large circle of friends, who deeply regret to hear of his demise.

### RUGBY & CRICKET TEAMS

TO-DAY.

Club "A" v Kowloon—Valley. Club "A" v Fox, King, Allera Jenkins, Harbord, Lowson, Selby, Garrod, McElroy, Andrews, Cox, Cochran, Nigel, Dalziel and Moore. Kowloon: Skinner, Owen, Davies, Esterbrook, Whitley, Ferguson, Peart, Torrible, Watson, Stillard, Brokenshire, Wilson, MacNider, Lieut. Prior, Cogan, la Roche.

CRICKET.

H.K.C.C. v Kowloon C.C.—Friday and Saturday. H.K.C.C.—A.W. Hayward, A.C. Beck, H.J. Armstrong, G.E.R. Divett, E.R. Duckitt, G.S. Dunkley, D.S. Harley, H.J.D. Lowe, L.T. Ride, C.B.R. Sargent and J.P. Whitham.

K.C.C.—F. Goodwin, E.C. Fincher, E.F. Fincher, J.C. Lynam, A.T. Lay, G.C. Burnett, A.E. Perry, N.A.E. Mackay, J. Hunter, I. McInnes, and W.C. Hung.

Mr. M.J. van Schreeven, Vice-Consul of the Netherlands, left the Colony on October 31st for Bangkok, where he was appointed Charge d'Affaires of the Netherlands. Pending the arrival of his successor, Mr. H. Bos, Chinese Secretary of the Netherlands Legation at Peking, has been temporarily attached to the Consulate-General in this Colony.

## LEAPS FOR LIFE

(Continued from Page 1.)

of confining the outbreak to as narrow limits as possible, but the two houses connected by the staircase were almost totally burnt out.

Great excitement prevailed among the inmates of the upper storeys when it became clear that many of them were threatened with being trapped.

## OLD WOMAN RESCUED.

On a third floor house, an old woman had taken refuge in the back kitchen, and for a time her plight was extremely serious. However, the Brigade managed to raise an escape ladder in a wide lane at the back, and by means of this they were able eventually to bring her to safety.

It was fully two hours before the Brigade, faced with a most difficult task, succeeded in subduing the flames.

## THE CASUALTIES.

The casualties are as follows: Seriously Injured

Fong Wai-sau, 37, male (fractured spine).

Ng Woon-kai, 38, male (internal injuries).

Chan Pat, 28, married woman, (internal injuries).

## Injured

Wong Chan, 54, male.

Wong Cheung, 49, male.

Lau Sim, 27, married woman.

Chan Sap, 32, married woman.

Ng Yip-chiu, 32, male.

Lau Kwan-nam, 38, male.

Many of those injured sought escape by climbing down the drainpipes into the back lane, only to find themselves pitching headlong to the ground, when the pipes, which were of clay and extremely fragile, gave way.

## SON'S DEVOTION.

A story of a son's devotion is told in connection with the case of Wing Ah-yau, the 85-year-old woman whose escape from one of the burning buildings was effected by firemen using a fire-escape ladder.

The woman lived on the floor immediately above the shop where the outbreak started, and when escape into the street was cut off by the burning of the staircase, was carried by her son up to the third floor. Apparently at this stage he was unable to proceed further with his burden, and left her in the kitchen. She was seen silhouetted against the flames, desperately attempting to beat back the fire with a pail and water drawn from the tap, when firemen came to her rescue.

The old woman was in a most cheerful mood when, at the Yau-mat Station this morning, she recounted her adventure.

It was disclosed that considerable delay was experienced before the firemen could get water through the mains, and when it did finally come through, the pressure was poor. Fortunately, it was found possible to utilize one of the fire-floats which was brought within accessible distance of the fire.

## ROOSEVELT ELECTED:

(Continued from Page 1.)

Roosevelt, the Democratic Candidate, has been elected as the next President of the United States, but it will be nothing short of a miracle if President Hoover survives.

Mr. Roosevelt now has a strong lead in twenty-five States, commanding 284 electoral college votes, which would be quite sufficient for election.

President Hoover is leading in only seven States, which carry 88 electoral college votes.

Mr. Roosevelt is triumphing in the traditionally Democratic South, where President Hoover is being literally anointed under.

Reuter.

### LATEST NAVAL MOVEMENTS

#### AMERICAN FLOTILLA LEAVES

Vice-Admiral Bethelot, the Commander-in-Chief of the French Asiatic Fleet, returned from Canton by train on Monday night, and will depart from Hongkong aboard his flagship, the cruiser Primauguet, to-morrow afternoon. A luncheon party, to which H. E. the Officer Administering the Government, the Commodore and his Secretary have been invited is being held on board the Primauguet to-day.

The Commander-in-Chief of the British China Squadron, Admiral Sir Howard Kelly, will arrive in Hongkong on board H.M.S. Kent to-morrow at 7 a.m. Admiral Kelly will remain in Hongkong during the winter season.

The Commander-in-Chief of the American Asiatic Fleet, Admiral M.M. Taylor, will arrive in Hongkong on Saturday next on board his flagship, the U.S.S. Houston, which will escort the yacht Isabel (Lt. Cmdr. Grosskopf) to Hongkong. Commanding the flagship of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet is Captain Dawes.

The Fifth Destroyer Flotilla of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet, preceded by the U.S.S. Black Hawk, departed for Manila sharply at 9 o'clock this morning, after a week in Hongkong. The flotilla consisted of the U.S. destroyers Peary, Pillsbury, Pope, Whipple, Smith-Thompson, J.D. Edwards, Barker, Stewart, Parrott, Paul Jones and Edsall.

Remaining in port are the U.S.S. Mindango, U.S. gunboat Fulton and the Portuguese cruiser Admastro.

The gratitude of the American Flotilla for the manner in which they have been entertained in Hongkong during the past week is exemplified in the following message received at Naval Headquarters this morning. It reads: "To all British ships. Best wishes from C.O. and men of Destroyer Squadron 5. Our stay in Hongkong has been most delightful, due to your courtesy and hospitality. Anticipate meeting you again very soon."

## SUGAR MARKET

#### THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Penbreath and Co.

## London Terminals.

March 1933 6/1¼ no change. May 1933 6/3¼ no change. August 1933 6/7 up ¼d. December 1933 6/9½ no change. Buyers at above prices, sellers asking ¼d-½d more.

## New York Terminals.

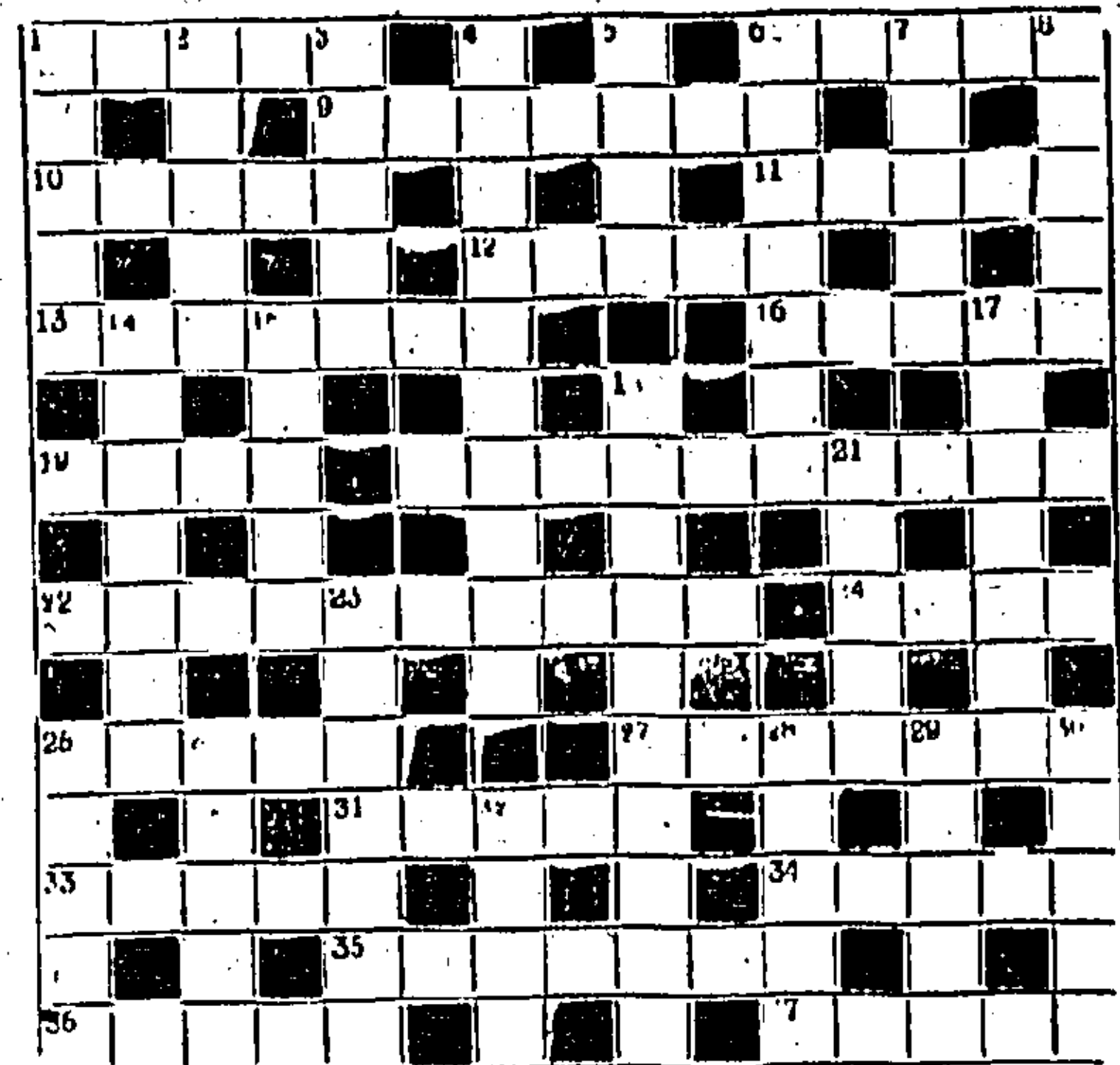
Holiday—Election Day.

The P and O, s.s. Bangalore, from Shanghai, is due here at 6 a.m. on Friday.

Mr. C. H. Basto was yesterday formally admitted a member of the Sanitary Board, during the absence from the Colony of Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto. Mr. C. P. Sayer welcomed Mr. Basto to the Board.

Mak Mui, 21, was conveyed to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday following an accident in Des Voeux Road Central, when, in attempting to alight from a moving tram, she fell and suffered concussion. Another woman, named Wong Foo, living at No. 15, Peking Road, was similarly injured when stepping from a tram in Des Voeux Road Central, near the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. She was also admitted to the Government Civil Hospital.

## OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



## Across

- 1 Suburban train.
- 6 Such garments may well be sober.
- 9 Forest wear before the fall.
- 10 This man's chin is not likely to be overlooked.
- 11 Though good for the health it adds nothing to the belt.
- 12 Of course you'll tear back when you see this animal.
- 13 A day of rest.
- 16 To be in these military stores is far from cheery.
- 19 Incidental to episodes of any sort.
- 20 Take a good pull, though I'm afraid you'll still find it dismal.
- 22 It's quite disturbing, and might describe the bankrupt with no assets.
- 24 Look for it.
- 25 Looking back we can see that she was not well.
- 27 Made by hatters.
- 31 Biblical mountain.
- 33 Sh! by the back part of the liner—that's where it comes out to do its work.
- 34 Change it later maybe.
- 35 Goes beyond.
- 36 Unpleasant old thing that may become a stray.
- 37 Just wait a bit for it.

## Down

- 1 The modern young woman has no use for these—except, of course, in conjunction with latchkeys.
- 2 Mount.
- 3 It's all up with the animal when the matter comes down.
- 4 Yours comes first in many a business communication.
- 5 A home from home.
- 6 One would scarcely do so unless the first transaction had

- 7 Where this grows there should be a clean sweep of moor, one might imagine.
- 8 This indicates she was made by another letter.
- 14 Moderately slow for a musician.
- 15 To beat with a stick will certainly give the poor beast a turn, but be—
- 17 careful.
- 18 They'll click at Olympia, all right.
- 21 Pers out, children.
- 23 A muffin, for example, to a flower.
- 25 Used for reading or writing at the British Museum.
- 26 The smallest amount all serve here.
- 28 Cook.
- 29 In imitation of.
- 30 Try as an anagram of 30.
- 32 Pleasant Continental resort.

## Yesterday's Solution.

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O A I V O A O E  
P R I V A T E E R L A T I N  
S E N C E R F F T E  
E M E R A L D S U F F E R S  
S E C T A R I E L F I S H  
I G O I N D I A N F A  
G O W N E D P E T A S E L  
C O A I R E F F E  
A P P O S E R T O R T S  
R E D O N S O U O A H  
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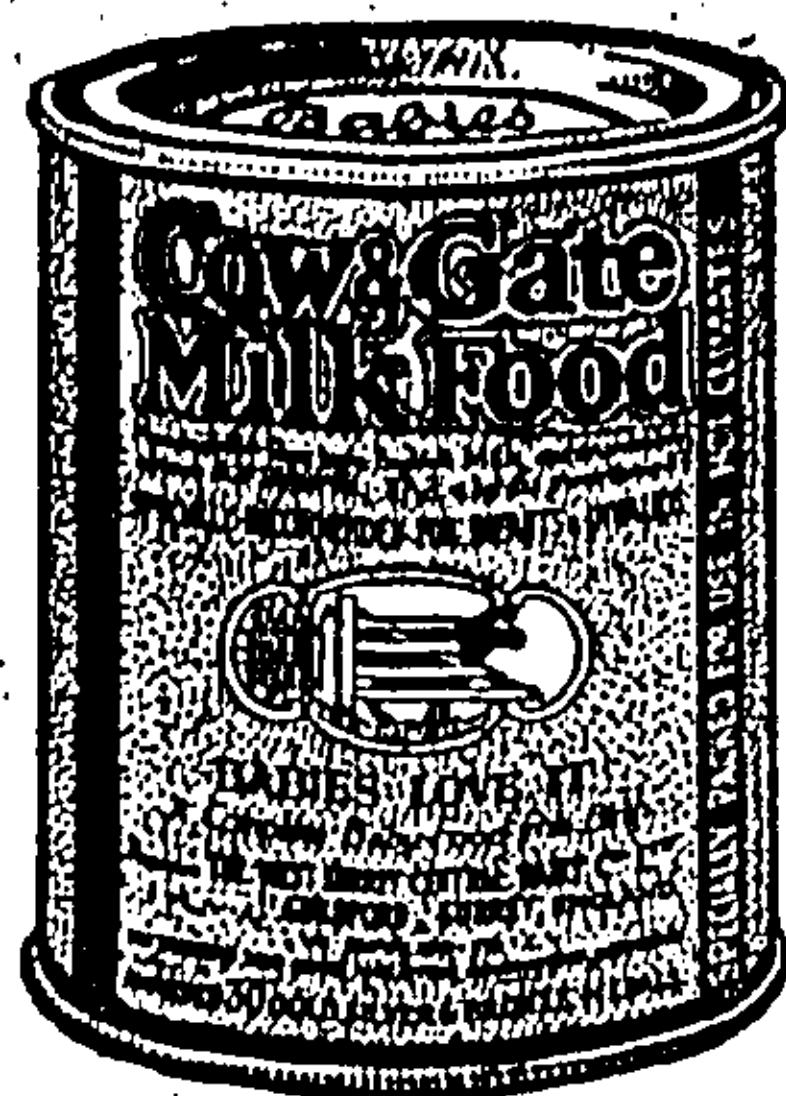
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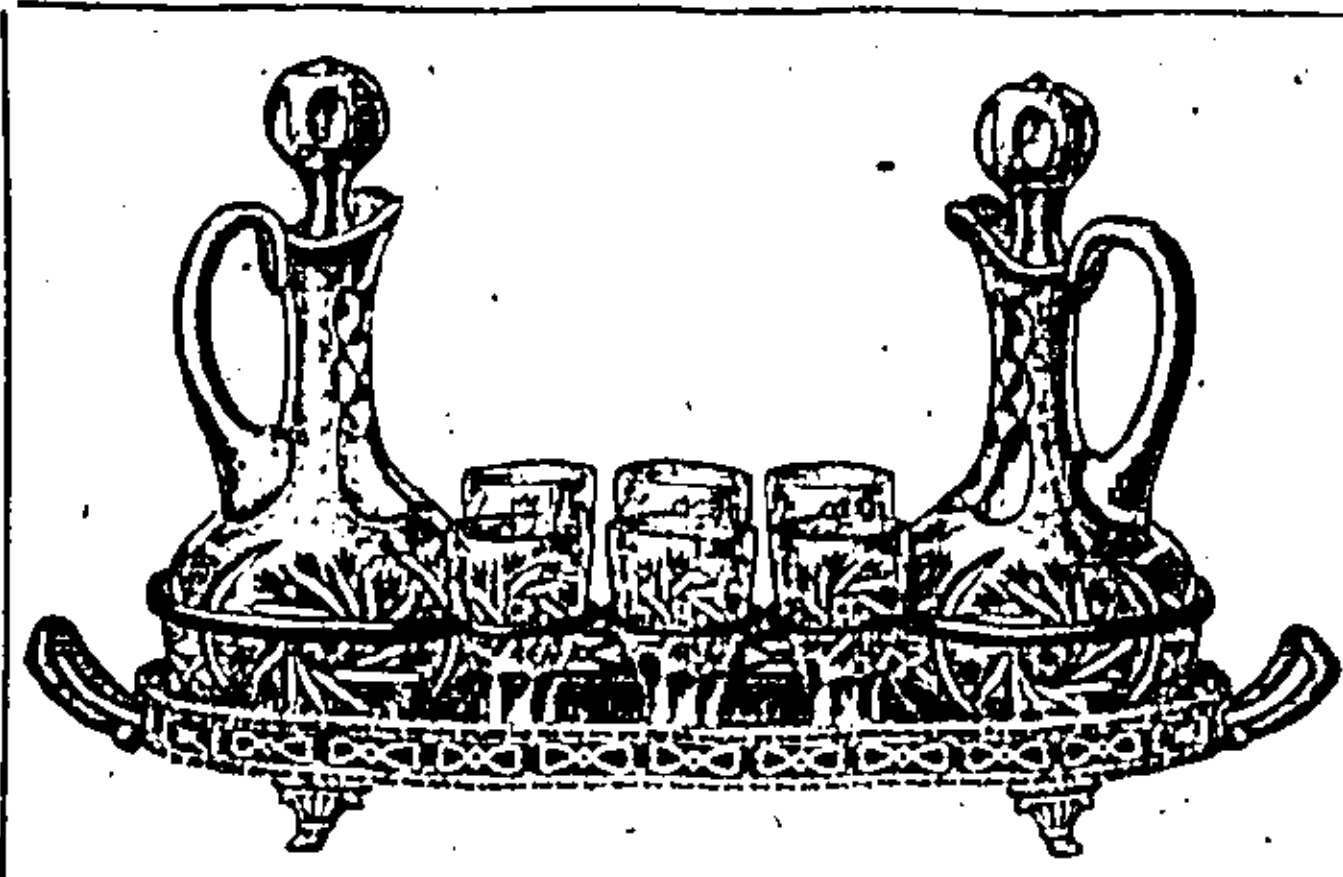
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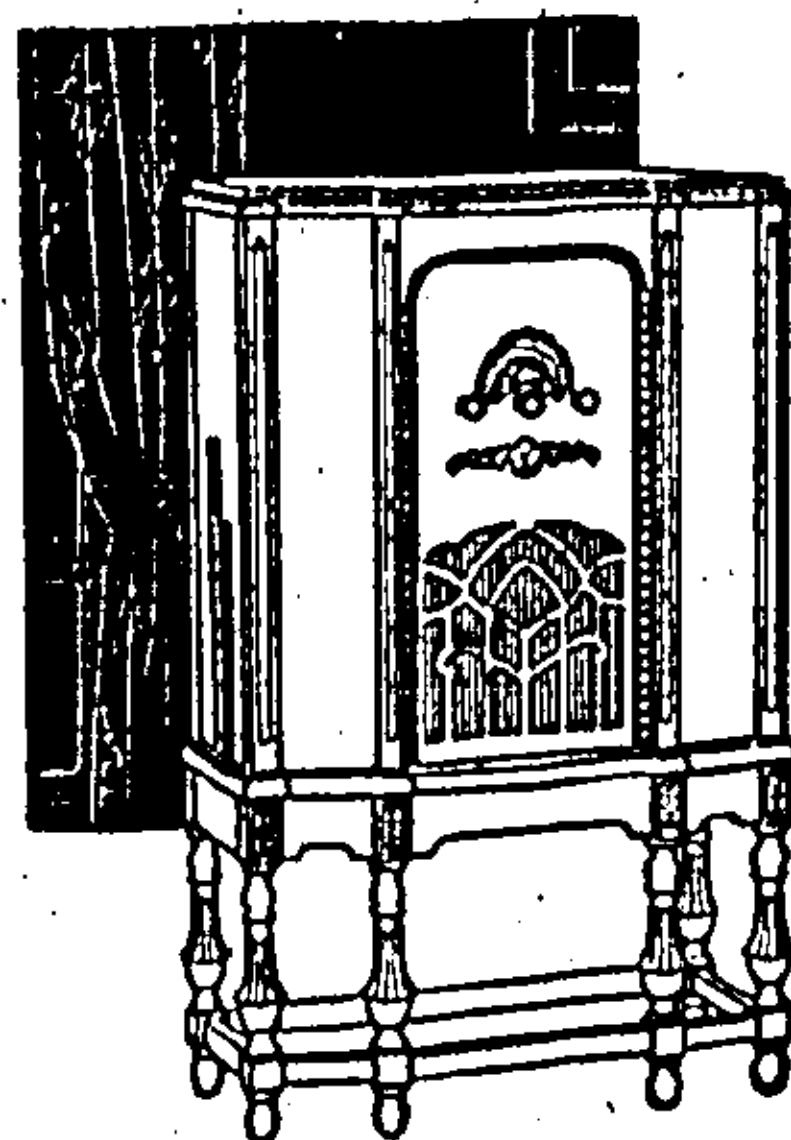
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### DEATHS.

**ROZARIO.**—On Wednesday, (Nov. 9th 1932) at 12.30 a.m., Lionel, dearly beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Rozario. Funeral service at R. C. Cemetery 5.30 p.m. to-day. Friends and Shanghai papers please copy.

**VEIRA-RIBEIRO.**—On November 9, 1932, at the French Convent Hospital, Gustavo Augusto Vieira-Ribeiro, the dearly beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Vieira-Ribeiro, aged 20 years. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day. (Macau, Shanghai, Manila and Japan papers please copy).

Mr. M. J. van Schreven.

future address:—

Royal Netherlands Legation,

Bangkok.

Hongkong, 31st October, 1932.

p.p.c.

The  
**Hongkong Telegraph.**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1932.

### RADIO PIRATES

The wireless pirate—the man who is quite prepared to steal his entertainment from the air without payment of any kind, if he can but get away with it—is known wherever radio programmes are broadcast. We have him here in Hongkong, and, most likely, in considerable numbers. Not only is he enjoying an unfair advantage over those who pay their dues, but he is a factor in preventing the development of the service, since the Government grant to the Broadcasting Committee in Hongkong is based on the number of licences issued. At Home, the Post Office is making the biggest raid on wireless pirates since broadcasting began. Last year, the efforts were concentrated mainly on London, but the new campaign now instituted covers the whole country. Once again, the ghost car and a fleet of detector vans, specially augmented for the occasion, is to prow the streets searching for unlicensed sets. In addition, the work of the cars is being supplemented by a large staff of investigators on foot, these being

provided in advance with the names and addresses of persons suspected of being pirates.

Some idea of the extent of the "piracy" evil may be gained from the fact that it is officially computed that 25 per cent. of the owners of wireless sets in England do not possess wireless licences. Last year the Post Office engaged in an intensive raid on wireless pirates in London. Even those officials who thought the position was bad never imagined that they would unearth something like 260,000 who had wireless stations without licences. The authorities have been making experiments during the year at various centres, and as a result the shock has increased rather than lessened. This question of bilking the revenue has given the authorities considerable thought. The position is not at all satisfactory when out of approximately nine million homes it is found that only about four millions and three-quarters have wireless licences. "It does not give us any delight to prosecute," said an official recently, "but we feel a certain duty to the public for the money which we get as our share of the 10s. The Post Office gets 1s. from every wireless licence, irrespective of the number, and out of that we have to arrange for the issuing of licences and pay for the work carried out by the detector van in detecting interferences with broadcast signals. Last year we investigated 50,000 cases of oscillation interference, and 10,000 cases of electrical interference. It is not fair that we should have to do all that for the benefit of the wireless pirate as well as the licence holder."

It is interesting to note that great progress has now been made in the design of the detector vans, and the ghost car has been perfected. It is no exaggeration to say that the ghost car can detect the presence of a station while travelling at 70 miles per hour. The car is quite indistinguishable from an ordinary private car, and as some of the vans no longer have outside aerials they also are very difficult to pick out. In view of what is being done at Home, the time must assuredly come when this question of "piracy" will have to be taken up in Hongkong. It is only right that those who enjoy the local programmes—which, incidentally, are getting better all the time—should contribute their share towards the cost of the service. The unlicensed motorist is soon brought to book; the wireless pirate should likewise be compelled to obey the law.

### Germany at the Crossroads.

The current of political and popular thought since the war has flown strongly in democratic channels. In Spain a dictatorship was imposed, but it was swept away, and the monarchy with it, by irresistible public sentiment. In Italy, Fascism is theoretically opposed to democratic institutions; but there is no doubt that in practice Signor Mussolini enjoys the confidence and the esteem of the majority of Italians. There are those who now discern the signs of reaction in Europe. It is suggested that there may be the preliminaries of a restoration in Germany. Already something like a military dictatorship has been established; and the strength of the movement, which is essentially antiparliamentary is unquestionable. It is being said that the Crown Prince, whether as President or as Regent, will sooner or later govern Germany in the stead of Marshal Hindenburg. These predictions may be premature or they may be false. But certainly considerable sections of the German people are disposed to challenge the Constitution of Weimar. The conditions in which the Republic was founded and has lived could hardly have been more unfavourable. It was born in the trenches and was the child of defeat. Despite the flight and the repudiation of the Kaiser, the Versailles Treaty was fastened like a millstone around the neck of the German people. The

## DAY BY DAY

THE LESS MEN AND WOMEN KNOW  
OF ONE ANOTHER, THE HAPPIER  
THEY ARE.—George Meredith.

It is advertised that the Exchange Banks will be closed to the transaction of public business on Friday, November 11, being Armistice Day.

K.F. Pank.—It is not the custom of reputable newspapers to give detailed reports of such unsavoury cases.

Karim Singh, a Sikh watchman, was yesterday assaulted and severely injured by two Chinese. One of the assailants was subsequently arrested.

At the weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club, held in the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden yesterday, Bishop Roberts of Singapore was the speaker. He dealt with the history of his Diocese, explaining the difficulties encountered in regard to the extensive parishes and the variety of languages, the toleration of the Government for the Church, and the effects of the economic depression on the land generally. Mr. P. S. Cassidy, who presided, welcomed Messrs. H. J. P. Anderson (Amoy), Chua Kehhai (Hongkong), C. C. Black (Hongkong), D. W. Brisbane (Singapore), Basil (Singapore), and B. Randanno Vazelle, as well as all members returned from Home leave.

humiliations inflicted on Germany for a long period of years have been associated with the Republic, though in fact they would have been inflicted under any other regime. It is not, therefore, to be wondered at that there should be discontent. Certainly Germany has had no lack of wise statesmen who have, with great skill, piloted the country to something like its rightful place among the nations. It has played a leading part in all the European discussions of the last few years. Yet there has been delay, and a strange inability on the part of Germany's neighbours to recognize that no nation can be kept permanently down, and some of the most important of Germany's demands are still resisted. Moreover, the Constitution of Weimar itself permits the virtual setting aside of parliamentary government, and with such government becoming almost impossible in the clash of parties, recourse has been had to decrees. It is not, then, surprising that Germany should feel the need not only a strong external policy, but of internal reforms. The public is apt to blame the existing Government, and even the existing regime, for its misfortunes. Seen in retrospect, the monarchy appears better than the republic. There is disorder and clamour and commotion; and many Germans would welcome the imposition of a precise and forceful will. But these explanations do not justify the abandonment of the republican experiment, which has not been fairly tested. It is to be trusted that better counsels will still prevail, and that the German democracy will prove itself capable of weathering the storms and of reaching a secure haven.

## HINDENBURG'S SECRET

By Robert Bernays, M.P.

HINDENBURG is now over eighty-five years of age. His life is a bridge not between ages but between centuries. He was born at Posen in 1847, when the mighty Napoleon and the humiliations of Jena were still a personal memory. He took part in the battles that humbled Austria in 1866; he saw Kaiser Wilhelm I. ride in triumph through Paris in 1870, and he contributed in August, 1914, at least as much as Ludendorff to the drowning of Tsarist hopes in the terrible Masurian lakes.

He saw the German Empire welded together in 1870 with shot and steel and he was Commander-in-Chief of the German armies when it crashed in irretrievable ruin in November, 1918—and he remains to-day, fourteen years afterwards, not merely the President of the German Republic, but the iron curtain between order and civil war.

### A Spartan Ruler.

When I was in Berlin recently I set myself to find out the secret of this amazing record. I was soon made to realise that he is no figure-head. Far more than is usually supposed he was personally responsible for the establishment of the Von Papen Government. With the broad political developments of modern Germany he is in the closest touch. The morning of the fateful day when the Reichstag was dissolved he devoted to a series of interviews with his Ministers, and one who was with him on that occasion has told me that he had clearly grasped every implication of the perilous situation.

That he can do this at eighty-five is not a little due to the rigorous habits of his life. He is always on active service. He has no luxuries and no pleasures in the ordinary sense of the term. He rises early, eats little, takes exercise, and is never in bed later than 9 p.m.

He never visits the theatre. He was not even present in 1928 when memories of pre-war gaieties were revived with a semi-state gala performance in the Kaiser's private theatre at Potsdam. An annual garden party and a dinner to the diplomats are the extent of his official entertainments. Indeed, he is seldom in Berlin, preferring whenever possible to escape to his country estates.

His own personal position means absolutely nothing to him. He refused to wait up for the results of the Presidential Election in the spring, or even to be awakened when the issue was known. His bedtime was nine o'clock. The voting figures could wait until the morning.

He does not worry his head with blue books or any more Government papers than are absolutely necessary. His guides are his principles. They are discipline and duty and the Fatherland. Though a Monarchist by deep conviction, he does not waver in his loyalty to the Republic. He has taken the oath, and that is enough for him. It is an open secret that following on the dissolution of the Reichstag the Cabinet had before it plans for a radical alteration of the Consti-

tution which included the abolition of Proportional Representation, the re-establishment of an effective Second Chamber, and the strengthening of the power of the President. It was a tempting proposition. The chief obstacle was Hindenburg. He had sworn allegiance to the Weimar Constitution, and for better or for worse it must be given another trial. If the Republic crumbles, it will not be by his hand.

His hatreds are as simple as his loyalties. He dislikes Hitler, rather as Gladstone disliked Disraeli, or as in our own day Mr. Baldwin dislikes Lord Rothermere. He can hardly bear to be in the same room with him. The story is told that when asked his opinion of Hitler after his first meeting with him, Hindenburg replied:

"I know the type. They are like the Austrian rifles in the war; they do not shoot straight."

The comment is as revealing of the man who made it as of the man of whom it was made. Hindenburg always shoots straight.

All his life he has viewed the world in the simple terms of the battlefield.

### Two Generals.

In September he gave an audience in Berlin to General Higgins, of the Salvation Army. Though neither could speak the other's language, I am told that they were immediately in tune with one another. I am not surprised. The Salvation Army is, after all, the religious expression of that idea of a powerful self-contained State to which Hindenburg and those like him, with no thought of self, have given their full measure of devotion.

So he stands, a pillar of fidelity in a reeling world. I heard Chancellor von Papen over the wireless—on the night that the Reichstag fell—define his election slogan as: "For Hindenburg and Germany." For the moment the two are interdependent.

He is the main prop of the Papen Government. His prestige brings to it support from the Centre that it would not otherwise have. Even at a Nazi meeting I attended the howls that greeted the names of the members of the Cabinet died away when Hindenburg was mentioned.

It is the measure of Hindenburg's extraordinary career that at eighty-five there is not a responsible politician in Germany who can think without dismay of the problem of his successor.

## A CRICKET TRAGEDY.

By Edward Kelly, Wicked-Keeper.

We are pleased to hear that Don Bradman is going to play in the Test Matches after all.

Considerable concern, however, is now being felt about one of the Hongkong Telegraph's greatest writers.

He refuses to write for the paper unless he can play cricket. "After all," he said, when interviewed by one of the lesser journalists, "my job, which is playing cricket, must have the first consideration."

A clause in the contract with this writer-player expressly forbids the playing of cricket in working hours, and the man in question must have been aware of this regulation when he signed up with the newspaper. Now he has entered into an agreement to represent Hongkong at the forthcoming cricket interport.

The Editorial Board will meet at the week-end to discuss the impasse.

### OPINIONS FROM WELL-KNOWN MEN:

H. G. WELLS: It would be an awful blow to the literary world if his contributions were left out. Surely something can be done.

BERNARD SHAW: It seems unbelievable, but I am inclined to think that some agreement will be reached.

EDITOR OF THE TELEGRAPH: I refuse to make a statement at this juncture. The dignity and freedom of the press must be upheld.

STELLA BENSON: I refuse to say anything. After all, Edward Kelly is just one of those low types that has made Hongkong what it is.

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY: No decision has been reached by the Government yet. We have more pressing matters to attend to, such as the Shing Mun scheme and the new City Hall.

A. HUXLEY: Has the Editorial Board of the Hongkong Telegraph stopped and thought how the Stratford-on-Avon team would have got on without Shakespeare?



"Gee, that's too bad, Miss Dunn. Maybe I could get one of MY boy friends to take you to the party."



## LANCASHIRE'S TRADE WITH CHINA AND INDIA

## CHANCELLOR AND BIMETALLISM

## STRONG OPPOSITION IN LONG REVIEW

London, Nov. 8. **REFUSAL TO GIVE ANY ENCOURAGEMENT** to advocates of bimetalism was the keynote of a noteworthy statement by Mr. Neville Chamberlain at the close of the three-day non-party Commons debate on unemployment.

The House adopted, without a division, the Labour motion expressing Parliament's concern at the present



Sir Robert Horne.



Mr. Chamberlain.

volume of unemployment and welcoming all measures to deal with it.

Mr. Chamberlain ventured a long review of monetary factors in rebutting the arguments in favour of bimetalism, stressing that supplies of silver are inadequate and that the central banks would certainly not agree to accept a certain proportion of silver at a fixed ratio to gold.

## UNEMPLOYMENT DEBATE CLOSES

Mr. Neville Chamberlain's review of the monetary situation was made in reply to a speech by Sir Robert Horne, the noted banker advocate of bimetalism.

Sir Robert Horne suggested that wholesale commodity prices might be affected, for their improvement, by restricting the supplies of commodities or by an alteration in the amount of monetary gold available as being the standard by which their value was measured.

Sir Robert suggested that as there was a deficiency of gold, due to much being sterilised in reserves in particular countries, we should supplement the supply of gold by bringing silver into account.

He added that a rise in the price of silver would very much improve our trade with India and China.

## STERLING'S VALUE.

Sir Robert Horne who was at one time a Conservative Chancellor of the Exchequer, observed that a great service would be rendered to the trade, industry, and commerce of the world if international exchanges were put right. While there was a vast amount of gold in the world, nearly three-quarters of it was in the hands of two countries and others were denuded of the necessary supply. The problem was certainly one of the great factors of the present situation.

Referring to the position of the pound, he pointed out that sterling prices to-day were practically at the same level as when Britain went off the gold standard and that the pound now purchased more in commodities than five years ago. This was sufficient evidence that no one need be perturbed about the fall in sterling.

He expressed the view that if silver were once more put in an appropriate position in relation to the monetary system of the world, industry and trade would benefit more than from any other single device.

## CUNARD LINERS.

One measure of relief he advocated was State assistance to enable the Cunard Company to proceed with the projected construction of its two giant liners. He believed that this could be done by means of a loan or guarantee without any cost to the State. He was certain legitimate ways in which the credit of the country could be used to help industry might be discovered if an expert committee were set up for this purpose.

Sir Robert Horne also suggested that the embargo on new capital

issues be removed as early as possible.

## LIBERAL VIEW.

Sir Herbert Samuel expressed the hope that the opportunity would be taken at the World Economic Conference to achieve definite results on tariff and other restrictions, monetary questions and other matters of world-wide importance. Only by such means could they secure an early return to prosperity and end unemployment.

If the Disarmament Conference could simultaneously be brought to a successful conclusion, it would go far to encourage the whole world towards better economic conditions.

After many other members had spoken, the Chancellor of the Exchequer concluded the debate which he said had been most productive of ideas. While he could not agree with the desirability of many of the proposals made, there were others which would receive the careful consideration of the Government.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, making the final speech in the debate on unemployment, confined himself almost entirely to the submissions of Sir Robert Horne.

He saw difficulties, he said, even in accepting the theory that a rise in the price of silver would increase trade with India and China.

## INDIA'S HOARDS.

The Chinese, he said, had a silver currency, but India had not. Therefore, as far as India was concerned, the theory must be based upon the assumption that a rise in the value of the hoards of silver in India would enable India to do a large trade with other countries. But a large proportion of the silver hoards in India were not in the monetary form, but in the form of ornaments, bracelets, etc. In the past, India had steadily increased those hoards and had not used them as a means of purchasing goods, but for establishing social status.

An examination of the variations in the price of silver during recent years did not yield any evidence in the figures of Indian imports that she utilised her hoards of silver, when the price of silver rose, to buy more goods from other countries.

## CHINA'S CURRENCY.

As regards China, Mr. Chamberlain agreed that the position was slightly different because China had a silver currency and if silver

rose the value of China's currency rose also, together naturally with China's purchasing power in foreign markets. But then China's selling power decreased and ordinary economic laws began to operate.

Then again, in the case of China, he did not find in the figures that they bore out the view that a change in the value of silver made a corresponding difference in the value of China's imports. Imports into China fell only ten per cent. during a period when silver fell by 27 per cent. in value.

Without being dogmatic about it, he was unable to convince himself that a rise in the price of silver would have the value effect claimed on the trade of Lancashire with China and India.

## SILVER AND GOLD.

Turning to the question of whether an increase of the available supply of metal, either of gold or its equivalent in silver, would so increase the available stock in Britain as to enable the value of wholesale commodity prices to rise throughout the world, Mr. Chamberlain said that one must remember that the available supplies of gold had enormously increased from 1,000,000,000 sterling in 1900 to 2,500,000,000 sterling in 1932.

When one considered the amount of extra gold that would be necessary to make a difference

## THE ANTI-IRISH TARIFF WAR

## MR. THOMAS EXPLAINS DUTY INCREASE.

London, Nov. 8. The House of Commons to-day approved by 250 votes to 39, the increase in the customs duties on Irish Free State farm produce and livestock.

Mr. J. H. Thomas explained that the increase would be imposed as from to-morrow and was due to the fact that the receipts hitherto had shown conclusively that England was unlikely to collect the amount owing.

to-day, one must consider that extra amount in relation to the available supplies of gold in the world.

## GOLD DISCOVERIES.

The remarkable discoveries of gold in the nineteenth century in California and Australia and the subsequent developments in the Rand goldfields had produced an enormous effect because they were great in comparison with the then existing supplies of gold but if gold had to increase two and a half times in thirty years, it was clear that no great discovery of gold in the future was going to have a similar effect upon the amount of gold required for monetary purposes.

What would be the effect on silver? What was the amount of silver we could expect to get? The proposal was that the Central Banks should agree to accept a certain proportion of silver at a fixed ratio to gold, and that the price of silver should be the market price.

## MARKET PRICE.

If it were going to be the market price, said Mr. Chamberlain, there would be no great inducement for those hoards to come out of India and China. They could not come from China, because China wanted her silver for currency, unless silver rose highly in price, when she would require less silver.

Supposing the price of silver rose to two shillings, they thus got 1,000,000,000 ounces of silver—the highest possible figure. That would only mean an addition equivalent to \$100,000,000 gold to the available supplies of \$2,500,000,000. That would be only two per cent. (The figure should evidently be four per cent.) It would be too small to make any appreciable effect, and even the annual supplies of silver were not going to add to the visible supplies of gold more than .2 per cent.

## AGAINST BIMETALLISM.

He did not see, therefore, how it could be argued that the bringing of silver to help out gold was, in the present circumstances, in the world, going to be any effective help to us, even supposing we could get what he was certain we could not get, namely, agreement among all the Central Banks to adopt the system.

Concluding, Mr. Chamberlain said he was not very hopeful of any bimetallic proposal helping us over our present difficulties.

## INDECENT ADVT. MATTER

## THREE CHINESE PAPERS FINED

Woo Lai-man, of the Wah Kiu Yat po, Ho Nga-sun of the Tsun Yat po, and Ko On-ye, of the Tung Ah Yat po, were summoned before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning for publishing indecent advertisement matter in their respective newspapers.

Appearing for the first two named, Mr. Campbell said:—My clients plead guilty. I am instructed that this form of advertisement takes up about 80 per cent. of the advertisement space in these particular papers, and that it is not very unusual, although the wording of it may be unusual. Both my clients fully appreciate their liability and don't wish to be thought they are not liable. In both these cases, this space is let out through an advertising manager to clients, who from time to time changed the form of advertisements, and on this occasion it just escaped the attention of the advertising man. My clients wish to apologise and ask your Worship to be as lenient as possible.

In answer to his Worship, the prosecuting police officer said that other papers had been warned and they ceased the advertisements upon the receipt of the warning.

His Worship considered that a \$50 fine would meet all three cases.

## CLAIM AGAINST FRENCH SHIP

## JUDGMENT FOR LOCAL FIRM

Another claim against the French vessel, Gr. Gal. Maurice Long II, which was sold recently to meet liabilities, was upheld at the Supreme Court this morning by the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp).

The action was brought by A. Dai, otherwise known as the Sui Lee firm, of 29, Hing Lung Street, and was for \$884.75, for necessities supplied.

Mr. R. C. Lim, instructed by Mr. Cho Yue-kwan, solicitor, appeared for the plaintiffs, and stated that the total value of necessities supplied was \$1,084.75, but on the 1st of June \$200 was paid on account, leaving the balance of \$884.75 which was the subject of the claim.

Mr. Au Yu-pui, manager of the plaintiff firm, gave evidence.

## TO AID CHINESE VOLUNTEERS

## CANTON RAISING FUNDS

Canton, Nov. 8. Funds to aid the North-East Volunteers will be raised here by a football match between Canton and Hongkong teams, a national art exhibition and a bazaar, according to a decision of the Kwangtung Public Bodies Assistance to North-East Volunteers' Association.

The Mechanics' Union has issued an appeal for funds to aid the Volunteers who are described as "the pillar of the State, whose collapse would mean the crumbling of the national edifice." To succeed the Volunteers is the duty of every Chinese citizen, and wholehearted efforts are necessary, the Union urges.—Central Press.

## MISSIONARIES SAFE

## COMMUNISTS ON THE RETREAT

Foochow, Nov. 1. The British and American missionaries from Kienning and Yenping arrived safely in Foochow yesterday evening. They say that Yenping is quiet, and there was really no need for withdrawal from there. The military, under General Liu Ho-Ting, gave them every facility for the journey.

There has been serious fighting to the west of Kienyang, but the Communists are said to be retreating southwards, no doubt wishing to join up with their friends who are being pressed by the Nineteenth Army in West Fukien. Thus things seem very much brighter, and it is to be hoped that they will remain so.—Our Own Correspondent.

## RADIO BROADCAST

## EUROPEAN LECTURE FROM STUDIO

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7-7.25 p.m. Orchestral. A Village Romeo and Juliet (Delius).

Sir Thomas Beechan conducting the Royal Philharmonic Orcho. LZ087. The Season's Ballot (Glazounov). Alexander Glazounov and Orchestra LX29/30.

Dance of the Flowers (Debussy). Lucerne Kuraal Orchestra LX30. 7.25-8 p.m. Request Items.

Vocal Duet—Until (Teschemacher and Sanderson). Vocal Duet—Bird Songs at Eventide (Barrie and Coates). Dora Labbette and Hubert Elsdell DB880.

Saxophone Solo—Down In The Forest (Landon Ronald). Saxophone Solo—At Dawning (Cadmus). Howard Jacobs DB886.

Humorous Song—Splitting Up. Flanagan and Allen DB805. Humorous Song—Musical Influence. The Atishoo Opera Company DB882.

Yodel—Tyrolean Yodeler. Yodel—Clickoo in the Wood. Friedl Lusser DB542.

Descriptive Sketch—The Laughing Policeman at Madam Tussauds. Charles Penrose, Kaye Connor and Company DB881.

Accordeon Band—Accordeon Nights. Geraldo and his Band DB891.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report. 8-8.40 p.m.

Grieg's Concerto in A Minor played by Arthur de Greef and the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

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Song—If They Ever Had An Income Tax On Love. Song—Hang Out The Stars in Indiana.

Florence Oldham DB724. Organ Solo—Round The Marble Arch. Organ Solo—Lullaby of the Leaves.

Sidney Torch DB802. Band—The "O" Song. Band—I've Gone Lost My Little Yo-Yo.

Billy Cotton and His Band MR609. Descriptive Sketch—The Channel Swimmer. Horace Kennedy DB805.

Orchestral—Daly's Theatre Waltz Memories. Charles Prentice and his Orchestra DX310.

Organ Solo—By The Blue Hawaiian Waters. Organ Solo—The Vision of Fuji-San.

Reginald Foort DX315. Humorous Sketch—The "Ole In The Road". George Graves and Myles Clifton 0829.

9.30-10 p.m. From the Studio. A Talk by Professor Brown on "A Recent Visit to Western Australia".

10-10.20 p.m. Musical Comedy. Helen—Vocal Gems.

Columbia Light Opera Co. DX331. The Land of Smiles—Selections. London Theatre Orchestra DX252.

A Country Girl—Vocal Gems. Columbia Light Opera Co. DX73.

10.27 p.m. Rugby Mid-Day Press News. 10.30 p.m. Close Down.

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## KZRM PROGRAMME.

To-day's broadcast from the Manila station.

5.00 p.m.—Tea Dance Music. 6.10 p.m.—Spanish Information Period.

6.30 p.m.—English Information Period. 7.00 p.m.—Studio Dialect Programme Hengo—Francisco del Rosario.

7.15 p.m.—Spanish Presentation. 7.45 p.m.—Studio Programme Tonin Drow, Soprano and Lorine Nash.

8.00 p.m.—Studio Dialect Programme Cebuano—Ludovina Gonzales, Soprano.

8.15 p.m.—Students' Radio Club—Guest announcer—Key Rose.

8.45 p.m.—Victor Masterpiece Presentation. 9.00 p.m.—Dance Music—Bay View Hotel Orchestra.

10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

## JOBLESS LEADER SENTENCED.

## THREE MONTHS IN PRISON FOR HANNINGTON

London, Nov. 8. Imprisonment for three months was to-day imposed on W. A. L. Hannington, leader of the recent unemployed disorders in London, when he appeared before the Bow Street Magistrate. Hannington was charged with having attempted to cause dissatisfaction among the police during unemployed disorders in Trafalgar Square on October 30.

Hannington's arrest followed a police raid on the headquarters of the National Unemployed Workers Federation in Great Russell Street on Tuesday. Papers in the offices were seized on that occasion and led to a charge against Sydney Job Elias, Chairman of the movement.—Reuter.



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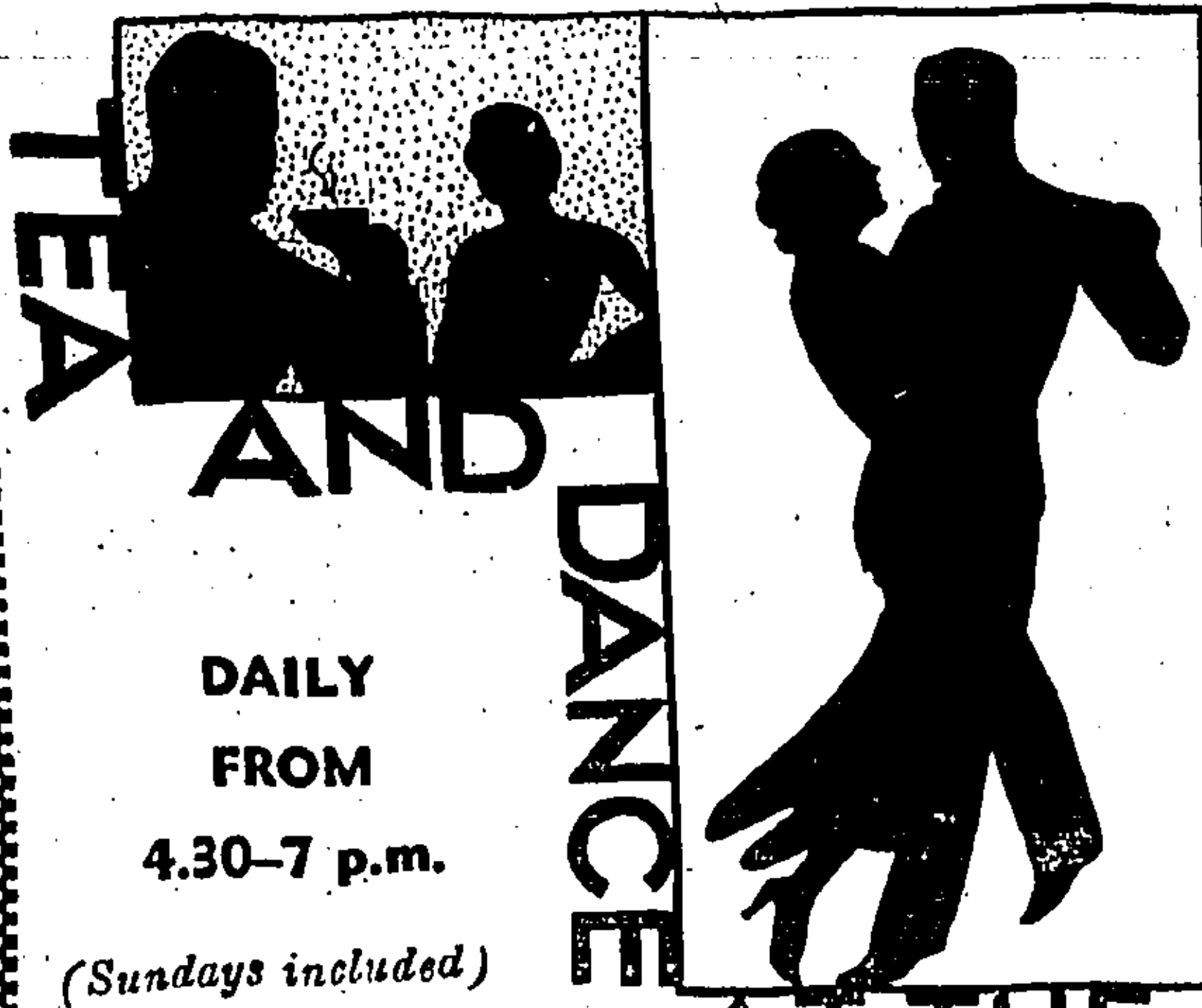
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## TEAM WORK GIVES PLACE TO INDIVIDUALISM

### FEW SUCCESSES AGAINST POOR OPPOSITION

#### JOHNSON IMPROVES ON HOWE AS CENTRE FORWARD

(By "VERITAS".)

Interport Trial Team (Johnson 2, Suen Kam-shun 2, Baldry and Wong Mee-shun) South Wales Borderers 6

THE first thing the selectors have to do about yesterday's Interport football trial match is to forget the score. It conveys nothing of value and is likely to give a false impression. Not that the Trial team were not worth their six goals. But the opposition!

The Borderers, apparently obsessed with the idea that after all they were only fodder for a team struggling to convince the selectors that each and all were worthy of inclusion in the Interport side, gave up trying after the first half an hour, and the most ragged, disappointing and inconclusive trial match resulted.

Apart from indicating that Rodger is still the best goalkeeper available, that Mullane is a right back worthy of Interport honours (both of which facts were already known) and that Johnson is a more forceful leader of the attack than Howe, I fail to see how yesterday's trial assisted the selection committee.

Viewing the team as a whole one discovered very little unity, a disturbing lack of finesse, and a considerable amount of robust individualism, the whole producing rugged and rather unscientific football.

One of the most disappointing players on the field was B. Gosano who was right below form. Even the constantly relaxing defence of the Borderers failed to encourage him to recover lost ground, and on yesterday's display the selectors will have to think seriously before sending him to Shanghai. He was slow in making ground, put across only half a dozen serviceable centres during the game, and muffed at least double that number.

#### JOHNSON SATISFIES

On the other hand I was genuinely impressed with Johnson, and if he can reproduce regularly his work of yesterday, is fully capable of taking over the leadership of the Interport attack.

His ball distribution has not the same hall-marked quality as Howe's, but on yesterday's form he can give the Club centre forward points in utilising through passes and heading for goal. He is virile, ever watchful, and likes nothing better than to seize the ball on the run and break through by sheer speed and weight. He is a Dixie Dean type of player, and therefore dangerous to any defence.

The inclusion of Wong Mee-shun and Suen Kam-shun, although adding a certain amount of zest to the vanguard, did not find the two players themselves unusually impressive.

Suen, of course, was selected for this trial purely on his reputation, for he had only played once before this season prior to yesterday which offered practically to

#### "PROBABLES" CHOSEN

#### Howe Leads Attack and Jones Returns

Last night the selection committee chose the following as the probable Interport football team who will meet the Rest of the Colony in the final trial on Friday on the Club ground, kick-off at 4 p.m. sharp.

#### PROBABLES.

Rodger (Club); Mullane (S.W.B.) and S. Strange (Club); Bliss (Kowloon), Wong Mee-shun (S. China) and A. Duncan (Club); B. Gosano (St. Joseph's), Suen Kam-shun (Athletic), Howe (Club), Jones (S.W.B.) and Baldry (Lincolns).

Reserves:—Martin (Club), Beltrao (St. Joseph's) and Johnson (Police).

Rodger has been appointed to captain the team to visit Shanghai. The Rest of the Colony team for Friday has been finally selected as follows:

Chan Sik-pul (S. China); Allan (R.A.) and Lau Mau (S. China); Leung Wing-chui (S. China); Pardoe (R.A.) and Tong Kwan (S. China); Chang Shui-hong (S. China), Bryant (R.A.), Lee Yee-sun (S. China), Rawson and Duncan (S.W.B.).

Reserves:—Morrison (S.W.B.), Moore (R.A.), Robertson (Navy).

data whatever regarding his form. Of the two, however, Suen accomplished the more valuable work, spoon-feeding Baldry with delicate passes and causing no end of worry to the Borderers defence with his tantalising tricks and footwork.

#### IS WONG STALE?

Wong Mee-shun gave signs of having developed staleness, unless it was because he was still suffering from the effects of playing centre-half last Saturday. Certainly he was not the Wong of South China that has been known locally for some considerable time. He came into his own when the Borderers as a team had collapsed and there was nobody to say him nay, but up to the interval he failed to get going, and made very little improvement on Ridley's display of the previous trial.

Baldry was constantly in the limelight and gave a good account of himself, utilising to the best advantage many of the passes he received. Furthermore his willingness to cut in and to change position with Suen on the attack were excellent tactics for keeping the opposition on tenterhooks.

#### SAME OLD STORY.

Back among the halves there was the same curious tale to tell. A story which has been emphasised in these columns time after time. Splendid in defence, fine spotters, getting the ball nine times out of ten, yet invariably rendering the work useless by wild and indiscriminate passes.

The analogy to this type of play is like a cricketer scoring 20 runs and then giving away 100 in dropped catches. Andy Duncan, easily the most hard working player on the field, and successful in holding in complete subjection the



GRACEFUL ACTION—Miss F. Ho Tung snapped as she was defeating Miss Wood of the Hongkong University in the Inter-Varsity tennis match on Sunday. (Photo: Khoo Ken-wah).



AN INTER-VARSITY tennis and basketball contest was played on Sunday last at Pokfulam, when the Lingnam University visited the Hongkong, beating the local undergraduates. Photo shows the teams which included lady tennis sides. (Photo: Khoo Ken-wah).

## DEBUT DEFEAT FOR 8TH

### FLOTILLA

R. A.-S. C. HELD TO A DRAW

### MAMAK HOCKEY

The Destroyer Flotilla made their debut in the Mamak Tournament yesterday against H.M.S. Tamar and were defeated by two goals to one. Stone, at centre forward, was responsible for both goals scored by the Tamar, while Sloane replied from the left for the Flotilla.

At Sookumpoo, a depleted R.A.S.C. side met the R.A.M.C. and the game resulted in a goal-less draw. Notable absentees from the R.A.S.C. side were Funnell and Tipler.

#### LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
St. Andrew's	7	6	0	1	32	7	12
First Battery	6	5	1	0	30	7	11
"Incognitos"	5	5	0	0	20	2	10
Radio Sports	5	5	0	0	28	5	10
R.A.S.C.	4	4	1	1	10	14	9
R. Engineers	4	4	0	3	8	12	8
Police	4	3	1	0	10	5	7
University	3	3	0	2	12	10	6
Wishart	3	3	0	2	10	15	6
24th Battery	3	3	0	2	13	15	6
Phoenix	3	2	1	0	7	3	5
Medway	2	2	0	2	11	0	4
Signals	4	2	0	2	3	11	3
R.A.M.C.	3	1	0	2	4	0	2
24th Battery	3	1	0	2	5	12	2
Parthian	3	1	0	2	2	7	2
Veteran	4	1	0	3	2	7	2
Tamar	5	1	0	4	8	16	2
24th Battery	3	0	0	3	1	7	0
R.A.O.C.	4	0	0	4	0	12	0
Kowloon Indians	5	0	0	5	3	20	0
Gorman Club	6	0	0	6	1	20	0
Don't Oyer	1	0	0	1	1	2	0

#### TO-DAY'S MAMAK.

K.I.T.C. v. 24th Battery—U.S.R.C. 4.30 p.m.  
K.I.T.C.—G. Singh: Firdos Khan and Naidu: B. Singh, K. Hussain and Atwa Singh: G. M. Khan, Hazara Singh, A. Khan, M. Stoff and M. Hassan.  
Reserves:—Japan Dad and Sar Kay Lama.

#### FRIENDLIES.

The Y.M.C.A. and the Club do Recreation played to a one goal draw at King's Park yesterday in a friendly match. At the interval the Club led by one goal to nil, scored by their inside right, but about half way through the second half McLellan brought the scores level. W. Reed, the Hongkong Club player, was conspicuous in the half line for the Club.

The match between the R.A. and Kowloon Indians at Sookumpoo yesterday resulted in a goal-less draw.

## YACHTING SEASON TO OPEN

### H.K. CLUB'S HAPPY PROSPECTS

#### First Regatta of Season Next Saturday

With a record fleet of 34 boats in the racing classes and two dozen cruisers, the prospects of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club for a successful season are decidedly bright, and the opening regatta on Saturday next should prove a big impetus in this direction.

The regatta on November 12 officially opens the Club's season, the first event of which is a Cruiser race starting from Murray Pier at 2 p.m. and finishing at the Club house.

The usual Ladies Races for the H. L. Y. and G. classes start from the Club line from 3 p.m. onwards, and a race for the new "A" class boats with owners at the tillers will be held.

Rowing events have been arranged for Four, Pair, and Single, and there will also be a race for Naval Whalers.

A Lawn Bowls game will be played during the afternoon and a Fencing exhibition will be given by members of the Hongkong Fencing Club.

Tea will be provided as usual, and it is hoped that there will be a large number of members, subscribers and their friends present. Officers of the Navy, Army and Air Force are invited to consider themselves as honorary members for the day.

The Yacht Club met this year in the largest on record, with thirty-four boats in the racing classes and twenty-four cruisers. There are many new names in the list of owners, which are drawn from both the list of members and subscribers.

The prospects for the season are decidedly bright.

#### RUGBY FOOTBALL.

#### Hermes Defeat Borderers in Close Game.

A fast and exciting game of rugby was played at Sookumpoo yesterday, when H.M.S. Hermes tried conclusions with the South Wales Borderers.

The Hermes fifteen eventually emerged winners by 13 points to 12, after a hard game, in which the sides had an equal share of the play, as the score indicates.

#### Home Rugby Union.

London, Nov. 2.  
A Rugby Union county match in the South-Eastern group was played at Ipswich to-day, resulting in a victory for Eastern Counties over Middlesex by 14 points to 11.

On their own ground this afternoon, Guy's Hospital went down to Cambridge University by 21 points to 7.—*Router.*

## SPORT ADVTS.

### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Fourteenth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 19th November, 1932, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Village Road.

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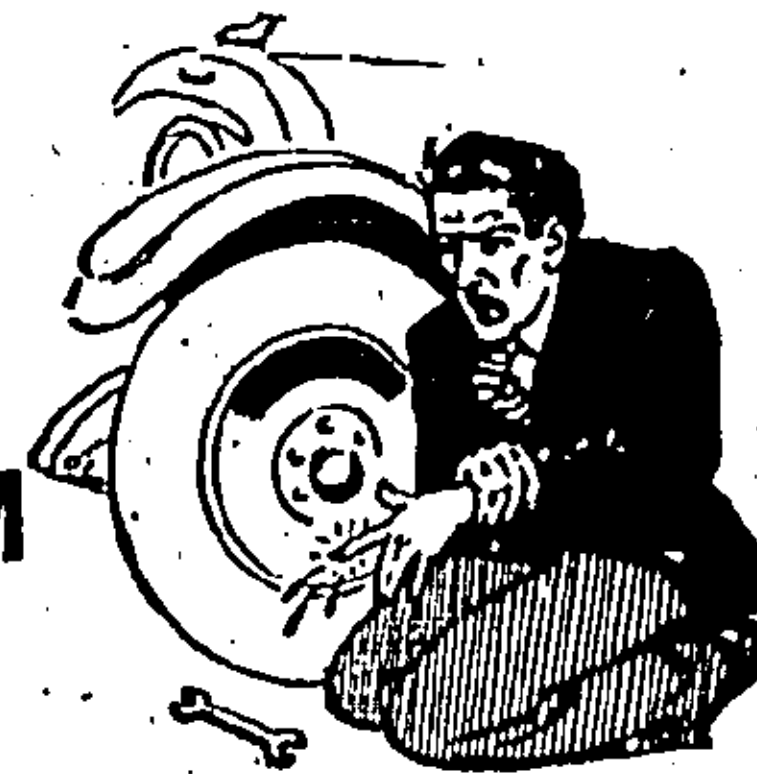
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### OVERTAKING AT BROOKLANDS

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A film of the Brooklands crash in which Olive Dunfee, the racing motorist, lost his life, was shown to the coroner and his jury at Weybridge.

This is the first time a film has been used for such a purpose.

The jury went to a cinema to see the film after they had visited the track and seen where the giant Bentley which Dunfee was driving left the track at more than 120 miles an hour.

The film was shown at first at normal speed and later in slow-motion.

It enabled the jury to see the car mounting the bank and somersaulting along the edge before it plunged over the embankment. The driver's body and a tree can be seen rolling down the track.

One Day's Practice

Mrs. Dunfee (Miss Jane Baxter the actress) gave evidence at the inquest. She told the coroner that her husband had not raced since they were married two years ago. He had practised for one day with the Bentley and said he felt all right.

Mr. John Cobb, who was at the wheel of the Talbot, said he tried to keep as low on the embankment as he could. So far as he could remember he did not take his foot off the accelerator. He did not know the Bentley was so close.

Hub Shell Missing

Mr. Robert H. Jackson, a motor engineer, who examined the car after the accident, said the film and tyre of the offside rear wheel were missing. One portion of the hub was still there, but the outer shell was missing. If the hub cracked it might affect the steering.

Mr. Percy Bradley, permanent clerk of the course at Brooklands, said the track had been open since 1907, theoretically it was designed so that a driver could go round at a maximum speed of 120 miles an hour with his hands off the steering wheel, but by taking hold of the wheel he could lap at very much higher speed.

Mr. Villa Taylor, if speed increases with the time arrive when the question of the safety of the track will have to be reviewed. I think it will have to be looked into.

The jury returned a verdict of death by misadventure. They added a rider that in their opinion the regulations concerning the passing of slower by faster cars should be tightened up and a definite ruling given to competitors in racing events.

## CENTRAL BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

### NEW RULES ADOPTED AT ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Central British Association was held at the Central British School last evening, under the chairmanship of Mr. G. P. de Martin, President.

The Report and Statement of Accounts for the past season was unanimously adopted on the proposition of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. H. A. Angus. A loss on Bar Account was transferred to the General Account of the Club.

Re-drafted rules were adopted by the meeting, on the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. E. S. Moses. The new rules raised male members' subscriptions from \$6 to \$10 annually, and reduced those of the lady members from \$6 to \$5.

The following officials were elected for the present season: President, Mr. G. P. de Martin, Vice-President, Mr. B. Wylie and Miss E. S. Woolley. Chairman, Mr. G. Franklin Nightingale. General Committee: Miss M. L. Whitley, and Messrs. J. J. Ferguson, S. MacNider, J. J. King, G. B. Gurevitch and B. Bleford (Bar Convener).



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## BOOKSTORE UNION MAKES PROTEST.

### AGAINST CLOSING DOWN OF PUBLISHERS

Shanghai, Nov. 8. The Shanghai Bookstore Union is strongly protesting against the Government's decision to close down the bookstores which published the book in which the minority of the Mohammedans is attributed to pigs.

The Union has wired Nanking deprecating any such action without judicial procedure.—*Reuter's Special.*

### Nanking Editor.

Nanking, Nov. 8. The Executive Yuan has issued an order repressing that freedom of religious belief is one of the principal rights of Chinese people, recalling the prominent part that some Mohammedans played in the history of the Republic.

This is expected to appease the Mohammedans, who took offence at the recent article in the Shanghai magazine.—*Reuter.*

## CHEFOO CHANGES HANDS.

### GEN. HAN FU-CHUN MEN RELIEVED

Chefoo, Nov. 8.

The transport Chefoo arrived this morning from Tientsin with 800 marines under Captain Li Yuen-ching, accompanied by Captain Kao Ling-bek. They have landed and completely taken over control of Chefoo.

Gen. Han Fu-chun's troops, under Colonel Wuang, will be departing for Huangshien this evening and to-morrow.

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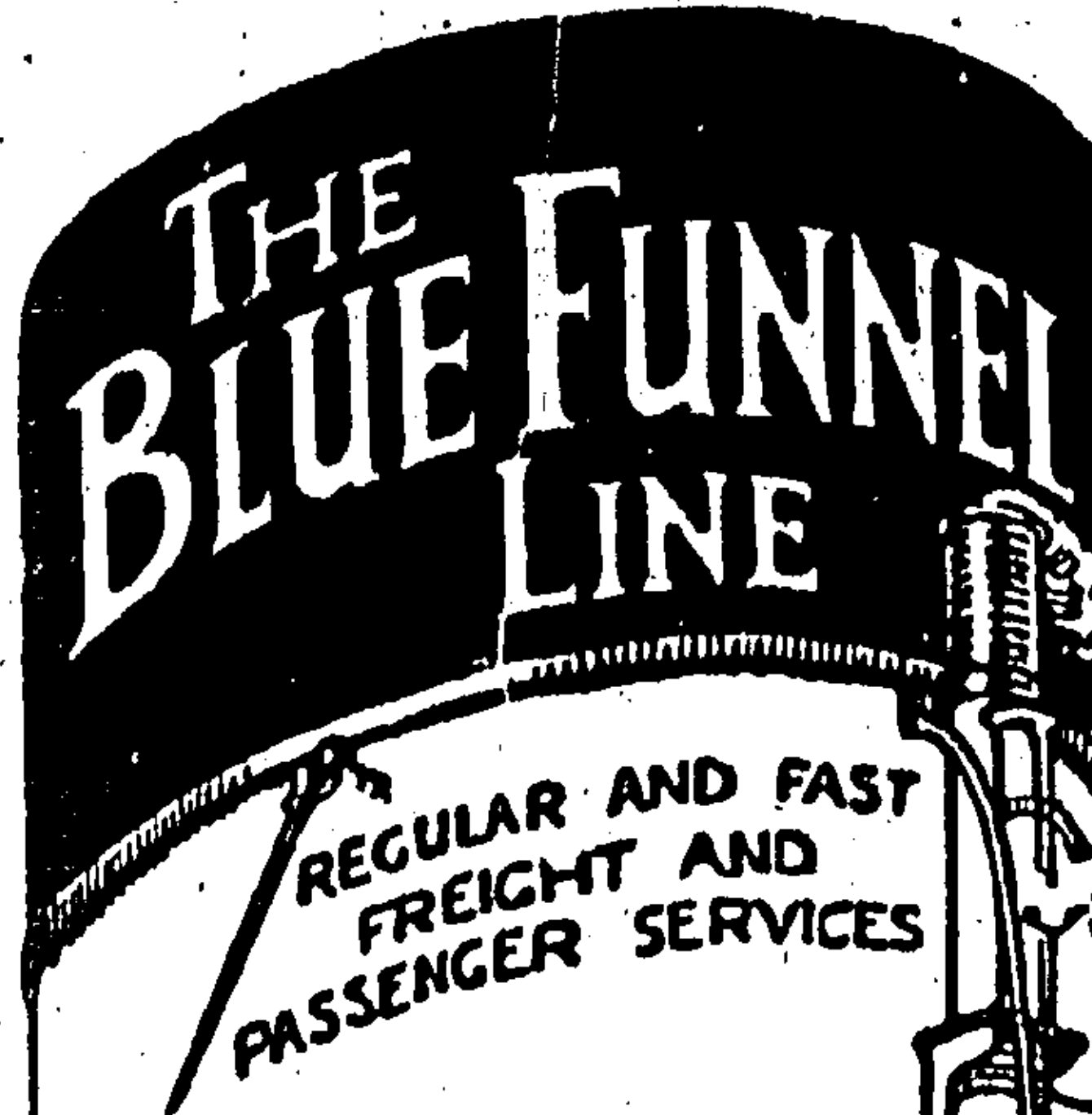
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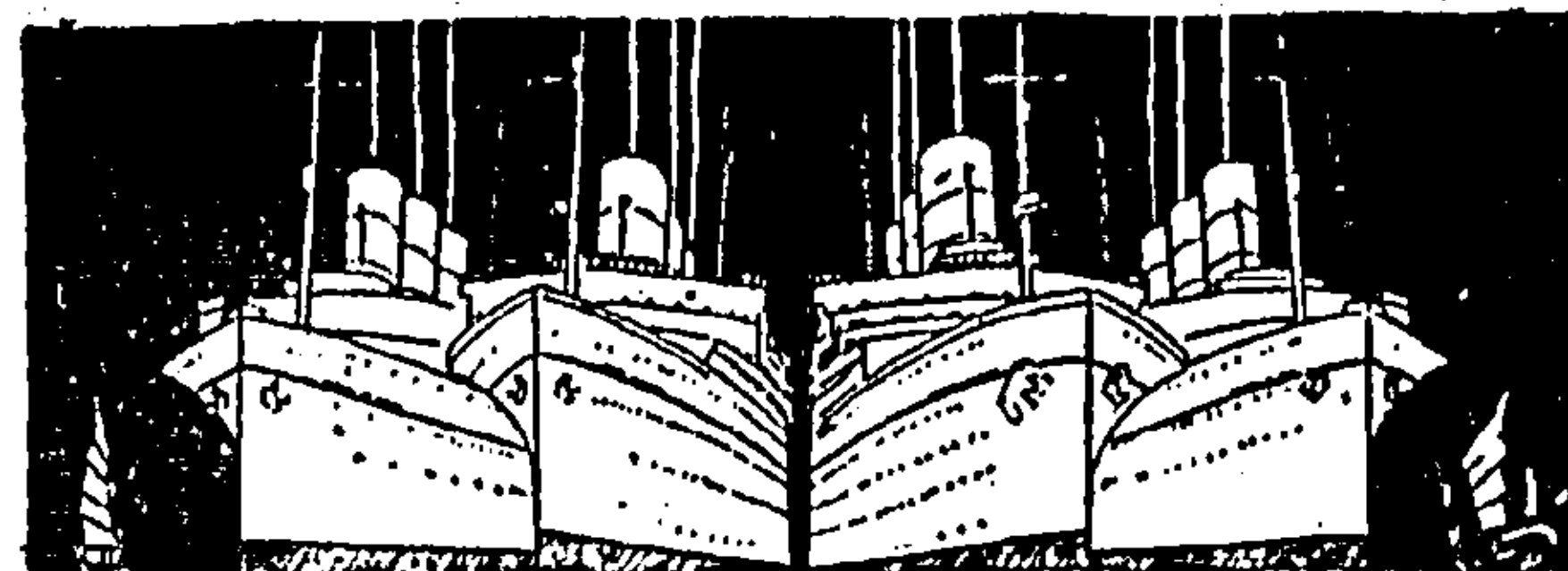
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ANTI-SPITTING  
REGULATION.APPROVED BY SANITARY  
BOARD YESTERDAY

At the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board, held yesterday afternoon, Mr. G. R. Sayer, the President, moved "That the Board approve the introduction of the following addition to the by-laws governing markets.—No person shall spit in any market-stall; nor in any market avenue, stair-way, or thoroughfare."

Those present besides Mr. Sayer were the Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson, Vice-President, Dr. G. W. Pope, Mr. C. H. Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, Mr. C. Champkin, Mr. C. H. Busto, Mr. J. H. Golling, secretary, and Mr. Ng Muk-kai, assistant secretary.

In moving the proposition standing in his name, Mr. Sayer said that when last April he introduced a series of by-laws designed to prevent promiscuous spitting in all premises licensed and controlled by the Board, he omitted the public markets. It was an important omission, but it was a legitimate one. The public markets comprised an addition to the licensed portions, i.e. stalls, controlled areas, avenues, passages and stairways to which the general public had free access, and over which the stall holders had no control. It seemed to him, therefore, that if they applied their anti-spitting by-laws to the markets they should be definitely extending their field of operation, and he thought that the Board would have accepted that by-law at the time, but he thought it was better to consolidate their original position first. That had now been done, for their warning connecting spitting with tuberculosis had been in force for six months, or more, and he did not think there could be many frequenters of the public markets who were unaware of the dangers of spitting.

## No Power of Arrest.

One further consideration he had in his mind at the time was whether they would be able to enforce the by-law. The reason being that whereas the Board by the officers of the department had the power of proceeding against an infringement of the by-law, they had no power of arrest. That difficulty still existed, but he was convinced it was more apparent than real. The object of the by-law was not merely to stop promiscuous spitting, but to induce people to abandon the habit altogether. The object of these measures was well-known to the Board, and they did not impose it because some of them granted that the practice of spitting was indelicate, but they did it because of the expert opinion that the practice was a direct cause of the spread of tuberculosis.

The value of this particular by-law was twofold. In the first place, it seemed obvious that in the places where fresh food was sold a good standard of hygiene should be maintained. There was further object, and that was the additional means of broadcasting their warning against indulging in this habit in general to the public at large. The by-law would complete the legislation programme against spitting, so succinctly suggested to them by the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau for the notice of the Board.

Mr. Wong Kwong-tin seconded the motion.

Mr. M. K. Lo, in supporting the motion, said that he would like to congratulate Mr. Sayer on his very clear statements setting out the circumstances which imperatively called for the introduction of the by-law, and the beneficial effect to the public health. They were getting quite weary of the returns showing fifty to sixty deaths from tuberculosis every week. The matter had been discussed some time ago at the instance of Dr. Li Shu-fan, and then it had been learnt that all the alarming number of deaths showed a greater and more alarming figure of persons actually infected with tuberculosis.

## Prosecution Urged.

He agreed that in a market where vegetables and food were disposed for sale, anything so inimical to health and such a serious menace should be prohibited. He thought that Sanitary Inspectors should be patient enough to draw the attention of first offenders, but if necessary to enforce the by-law by prosecution, and he certainly should have no hesitation in supporting any such necessary action.

Mr. Champkin also added his support to the motion, saying that he saw no reason why it should not receive the support of all members. The only possible objection that could be raised was by the general theory that it was not possible to

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In bringing him before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon on charges of larceny and returning from banishment, Detective Inspector Elston applied for committal.

Defendant pleaded guilty to the larceny charges and was sentenced to two months on each count, to run consecutively.

Evidence of arrest was given by a Chinese detective, after which Inspector Vincent testified to identifying defendant's fingerprints. Defendant, it was revealed, had six previous convictions.

After hearing the evidence, his Worship committed defendant to the next Criminal Sessions.

Another returned banished, Wong Hing, was brought before Mr. Butters yesterday afternoon, committal being also asked for in this case.

Evidence of arrest was given by Shek Tai, principal Chinese detective, who stated that about 3.30 p.m. on November 4 he apprehended defendant in Portland Street near Mongkok Road. Defendant was pointed out to him by a man.

Another Chinese detective, Chan Wah, deposed to seeing defendant off from the Colony on August 24, 1932.

His Worship committed this man also.

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SITUATION ON THE FIRST  
OF THE MONTH

The total storage of water in the Colony's reservoirs on November 1, according to figures supplied by the Water Authority, was 2,668.23 million gallons, as compared with 2,764.80 million gallons on the corresponding date last year.

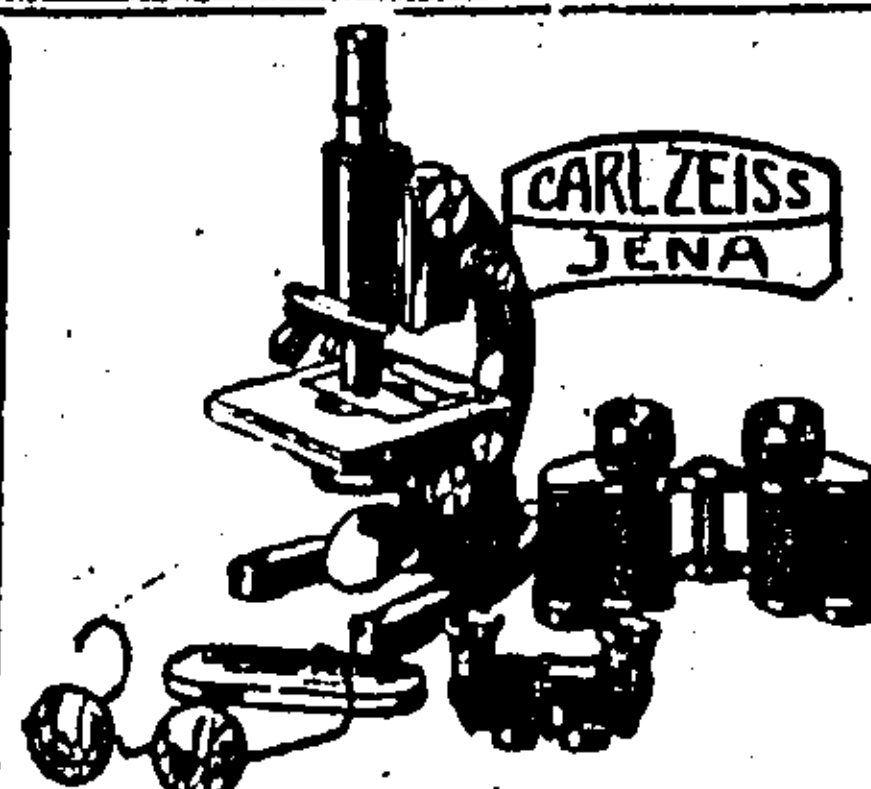
Of this total 2,040.94 were in the Island reservoirs and 627.44 m.g. in those of Kowloon, as compared with 2,098.88 m.g. in the Island and 665.92 m.g. in Kowloon on October 1.

The consumption of water on the Island for the month was 376.81 m.g. for an estimated population of 384,250, giving a consumption per head per day of 31.5 gallons, as compared with a consumption of 331.61 m.g. for an estimated population of 381,250, or a consumption of 32.3 gallons per head per day, for September.

The consumption in Kowloon was 182.08 m.g. for an estimated population of 306,700, giving a consumption per head per day of 19.2 gallons as compared with 169.67 m.g. for an estimated population of 291,900, or a consumption per head per day of 17.6 gallons. The rainfall for the Colony since January 1 is given as 87.25 inches as compared with 74.67 inches in 1931.

put forward legislation when it was not possible to enforce it, but Mr. Sayer had referred to that aspect of the question.

Dr. Pope, also supporting the motion, said that he would like to draw their attention to the fact that during the cholera epidemic certain regulations were introduced which caused some hardship to small vendors, but it appeared that the present legislation would cause practically no hardship, as it was merely a step to end a bad habit,



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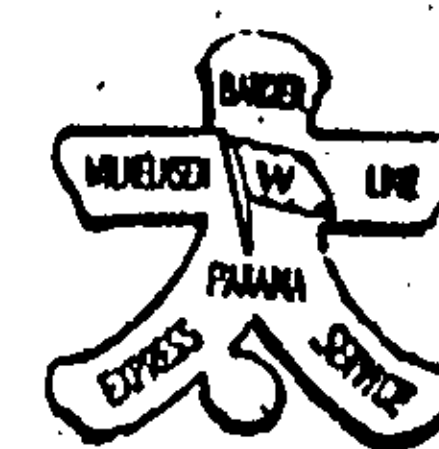
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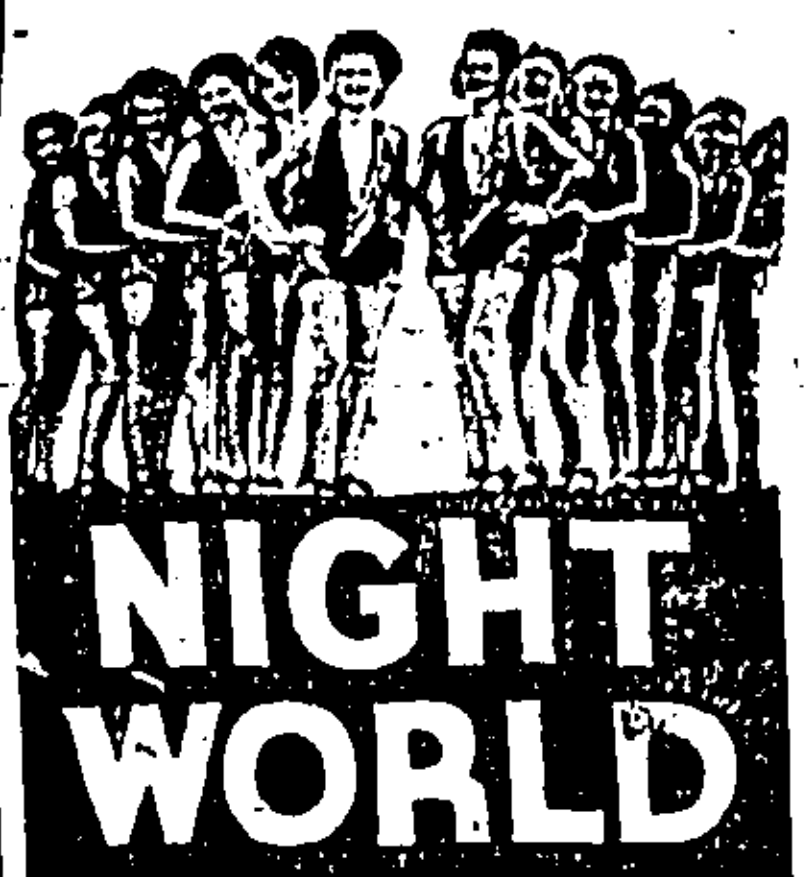
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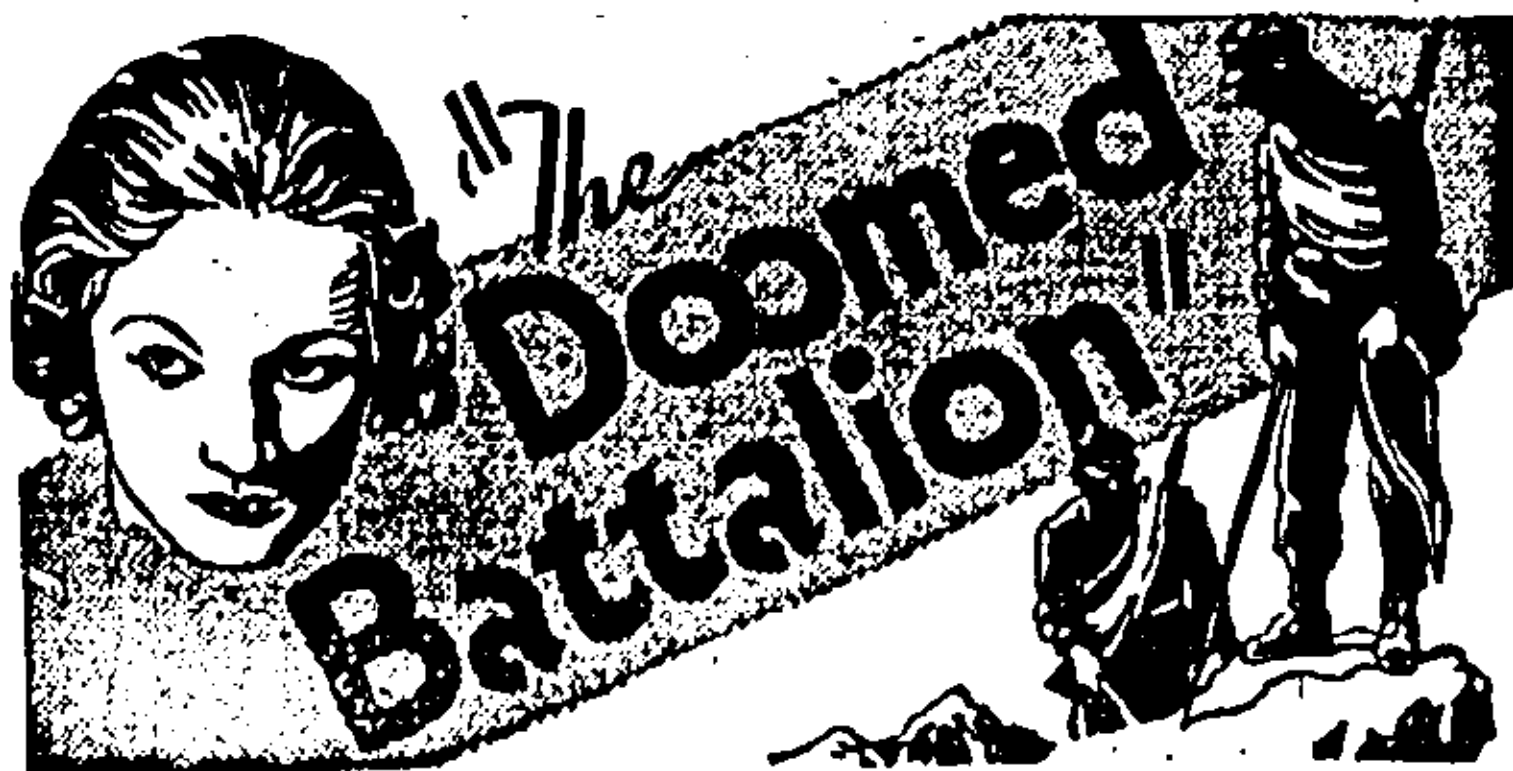
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All members of St. Andrew's Society desiring to attend the forthcoming ball, who have not yet returned their subscription lists, are requested to do so as soon as possible, so that invitation cards enabling them and their guests to attend the practice dances may be issued.

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## BRITAIN'S AIR FUTURE

DISCREET REPLIES TO QUESTIONS

PREMIER AND THE FRENCH PLAN

London, Nov. 8. In the House of Commons today, Lord Apsley asked the Prime Minister whether, before any decision was reached regarding the extent to which the British Government could agree with the French disarmament proposals, and particularly those on the international control of civil aviation, he would ensure that such agreement would in no way prevent the future development of British civil aviation, either of a private nature, or on the existing and proposed Empire routes to India, South Africa, Australia and Canada respectively.

The Prime Minister replied that he had not yet received the new French disarmament proposals, but the Government in the United Kingdom would certainly bear in mind the importance of providing fully for the future of British civil aviation and the development of Imperial air communications. Replying to a supplementary question, regarding private flying, the Premier said he could not enter into details that might arise in the course of the negotiations but the House might take his answer as one that was going to guide the Government in their general policy.

Asked whether the dissociation of civil flying altogether from the armed forces of the Crown was being considered, the Premier said that that was naturally one of the questions that must arise.—*British Wireless.*

A mongrel owned by Bandsman Craft, of the South Wales Borderers, yesterday attacked and bit the bandsman's little daughter Joan, who subsequently went to the Military Hospital for treatment.



The late Mr. W. L. Pattenden, news of whose death in England has just come to hand.

## "UNDESIRABLE GOODS"

CANTON RAILWAY SEIZURES

Canton, Nov. 8. Smuggling of "undesirable" goods through the Canton-Kowloon Railway, is being halted by employees of that line, many of the products found being either confiscated or burnt.

Some of the confiscated goods are being retained for exhibition in prominent places along the railway in order to display to the public the nature of "undesirable" goods.

Among the products seized are matches, dried sea food, piece goods, brushes, towels, etc. The search is being undertaken by the railway employees in their individual capacity and in co-operation with the National Salvation Association.—*Central Press.*

The Empress of Japan arrived at Vancouver yesterday.

Dr. Li Shu-fan returned to-day from a holiday in the North by the s.s. Conte Verde.

## ANOTHER CEMENT CASE

HEAVY FINES ON CONTRACTOR

The case in which a contractor, Ip Sin Kee of 12, Western Street was summoned for selling Japanese cement under the trade name of the Green Island Cement Company, and of enclosing the cement in the Green Island Cement bags, was concluded before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

His Worship found the defendant guilty on both counts and fined him \$100 on each summons, besides ordering him to pay the costs for the prosecution—\$150.

Mr. O. E. C. Martin appeared for the Green Island Cement Company and the accused was represented by Mr. Horace Lo.

The defendant denied having sold any cement under the false trade name of Green Island Cement Company and that the reason why he put the cement into the Green Island Cement bags was because the bags to which the cement belonged had been torn.

## WATCH ON "RED" LITERATURE

CANTON COMMITTEE MEETS

Canton, Nov. 8. The Censorship Committee held its first meeting yesterday at the office of the South-West Executive and was attended by representatives from the South-West Executive Committee, Bureau of Public Safety, City Kuomintang Provincial Kuomintang and the Bureau of Social Affairs.

The meeting dealt with internal organisation in order to facilitate censorship of books and periodicals, whether in Chinese or foreign language, found in Canton.

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